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Crowd Of 10,000 Attends Austin Inauguration

A crowd of 10,000 massed before the nation's largest State Capitol Building to witness the inauguration for second term of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, thirty-second Governor of Texas. The throngs filled the entire front capitol grounds, bands played, cannon boomed, and the horde of photographers had a field day. As the Governor received the oath of office from Chief Justice James P. Alexander of the Supreme Court, a ceremony climaxing the hour-and-twenty-five-minute program, airplanes circled close to the capitol dome.

Then, the Texas A. & M. band broke into O'Daniel's own composition, "Beautiful Texas," and, led by the Governor, the crowd stood at attention.

In his inaugural address, the Governor reiterated his views of state government.

Approximately 20,000 plates of barbecue were served the throngs who milled about the Capitol grounds.

Women's Auxiliary Committees Are Made Known

Following are the Committees of the Womens' Hospital Auxiliary, which will function until May, this year. These Committees were named by Miss Polly Snapp, former President and her successor, Miss Billie Wilcox who is now serving in that capacity:

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Executive Committee.
Billie Jean Wilcox, President.
Mrs. Tom Scott, First Vice-President.
Mrs. J. F. Harrington, Second Vice-President.
Mrs. L. C. Kenyon, Third Vice-President.
Mrs. Wofford Thompson, Fourth Vice-President.
Mrs. W. L. Brown, Secretary.
Mrs. Henry Miller, Treasurer.
Mrs. E. L. Burton, Press Reporter.

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Membership Committee.
Mrs. Tom Scott, Chairman.
Miss Fletcher Anderson.
Miss Hassie Braswell.
Mrs. Luther Truett.
Mrs. B. B. Evans.
Mrs. Fitzhugh Newsome.
Mrs. W. R. West.
Mrs. J. P. Dowell, Jr.
Mrs. Bob Ed Hamilton.
Mrs. T. H. Hughston.
Mrs. Pearl Tomlinson.
Mrs. Ruth C. Horn.
Mrs. Fred Hicks.
Miss Frances Nenney.
Mrs. L. C. Kenyon.
Mrs. Wallace Hughston.
Miss Jenny Marie Wilson.
Mrs. Joe Largent.
Alta Francis

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Library Committee.
Mrs. L. A. Scott, Chairman.
Mrs. W. P. Abernathy.
Mrs. T. H. Hughston.
Mrs Thomas Johnson.
Mrs. Artie Williams.
Miss Ruby King.
Mrs. Harry Breen.
Mrs. Billy West.
Mrs. Twain Massie.
Msr. Lee Elliott.
Mrs. Clyde Clack.

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School of Nursing.
Mrs. J. P. Thomas, Chairman.
Mrs. Roy Brockman.
Mrs. R. F. Newsome.
Mrs. Mary Brown.
Mrs. J. Ollie Smith.
Mrs. Karl Talkington.
Mrs. Jack Warden.
Mrs. J. C. Stewart.
Mrs. Virgil Stogdill.
Miss Katheryn Foster.

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Emergency Committee.
Mrs. Henry Miller, Chairman.
Mrs. T. H. Bryant.
Mrs. W. T. Hoard.
Mrs. H. A. Finch
Mrs. R. A. Clifton.
Mrs. W. E. Ditto.
Mrs. W. K. Penn.
Mrs. F. D. Perkins.
Mrs. Will Rhea.

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Entertainment Committee.
Mrs. Tom Moore, Chairman.
Mrs. Jack Ryan.
Mrs. Stewart Jernigan.
Mrs. W. L. Brown.
Mrs. Candis Farley.
Mrs. Morris Gay.
Miss Jennie Marie Wilson.
Mrs. Billy Bass.
Mrs. Fred McKinney.

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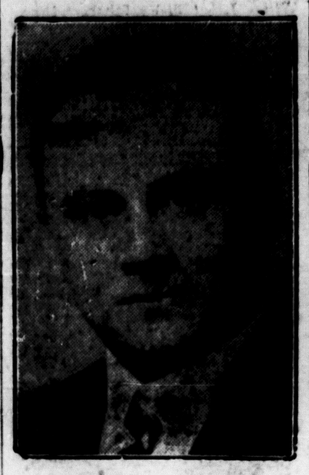
Hospital Committee.
Mrs. F. B. Pope, Chairman.
Mrs. Joe E. Largent.
Mrs. Tom Scott.

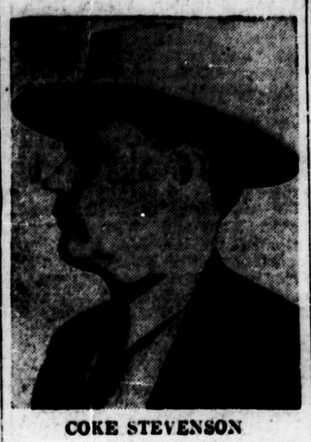
Flower Committee.
Mrs. Willa Largent, Chairmen.
Miss Bess Heard

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Reeves were: Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Roeder, Wendell Ray Self, Mrs. Dora Coffee of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jetton, Jane and Sue; Mr. and Mrs. Neal Scott and Miss Vera Scott of Bloomdale; Mr. and Mrs. Elgon Reeves, Homer Lee and Albert; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Reeves and Margaret Ann of McKinney, Mr. Vernie Howard of Bloomdale. Mr. and Mrs. Reeves moved from the Crim farm to the Hall farm on Route 4.

Inaugurated In Tuesday Ceremony



GOVERNOR O'DANIEL



COKE STEVENSON

Mrs. S. Holman Dies At Home Of Daughter

Mrs. Sarah Evaline Holman, 81, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Hawthorne, Southeast of McKinney, Tuesday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock. She had been ill about ten days.

Born June 3, 1862, in Opalica, Alabama, she was the daughter of Mark Russell and Susan (Maynard) Russell. She came to Collin County and Texas in 1876, residing here ever since. She was married to S. Holman, who preceded her in death seventeen years ago.

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Holman Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hawthorne. Rev. J. Ben Snider had charge. Interment followed in the Pecan Grove Cemetery, the Massie Funeral Home directing.

The deceased was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are: Mrs. Hawthorne, her only daughter, residing on Route 2, McKinney; one son, D. W. Holman, McKinney; thirteen grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Two sisters and one brother survive: Mrs. C. R. Waldrip, Crandall, Texas; Mrs. Lucy Strickland, Lovejoy community; Tom Russell, California.

Former McKinney Girl Chosen For Mexico City Trip

Miss Kathryn Wandry is one of the mannequins chosen for a trip to Mexico City for an international style show.

Miss Wandry is the Granddaughter of Mrs. A. J. Tipton and the great-niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Andrews, all of this city. She is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wandry of Fort Worth, and the niece of Mrs. Will Monnig of Fort Worth. She attended High School in McKinney, going to Dallas to complete her High School course.

Miss Wandry, with models from New York City, will present American styles in the Mexican capital.

The representatives are going to Mexico City by invitation of Don Ezequiel Padilla, Mexican Minister of Foreign relations, and the Mexico City Country Club. Two benefit fashion shows will be presented at the club on Jan. 26 and 27, one to benefit orphans of Mexico, the other to benefit the blind. This is the first international fashion show in the western hemisphere.

Rebekahs Will Honor Birthday Of Founder

McKinney Rebekah Lodge No. 85 will honor the 123rd birthday of Thomas P. Wildey, founder of Odd Fellows at 7:30 p. m. Thursday at the W. O. W. hall on South Tennessee Street. Mrs. Clara Meador, Noble Grand, will preside. All Rebekahs and Odd Fellows and their friends are invited.

C. H. Griffin and Arthur Mulder, both residing near Blue Ridge, on Route 2, were business visitors in the county capital Tuesday. Mr. Griffin called by this office, ordering the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the coming year. We thank him.

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Roy Jameson and Roy Cookston of Royse City transacted business in McKinney Tuesday. While in town, Mr. Jameson called by to renew his subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year. Mr. Jameson has been a subscriber to the Weekly for a long time, which we appreciate very much. Come to see us again.

Obsequies In Plano For Rev. S. D. Dollahite

Funeral services for the late Rev. S. D. Dollahite, 52, prominent South Collin Baptist Minister, were held Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock in the Plano Baptist Church. After brief services the funeral cortege left for Marlin, where the services were held at the First Baptist Church of which is a former Pastor. Burial took place in that city.

Rev. Mr. Dollahite died Monday night at his home in Plano from a heart attack, having been ill only a few hours before his demise. He had been Pastor for about five or six years going there from Marlin.

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Native of Hallsville.

Samuel David Dollahite was born near Hallsville, Texas, September 8, 1888. He attended Public Schools there and then went to Burleson College at Greenville where he was a ministerial student, and graduated. He then took an A. B. Degree from Baylor University at Waco and later did special work at the Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth. While studying for the ministry he held several pastorates in smaller churches near Fort Worth, and since that time has held pastorates at Kaufman, Nacogdoches, Marlin and Plano. He has been in local pulpits in McKinney and this county on frequent occasions. He was among the best-known ministers in the State, having served as State Executive Officer of the Baptist General Convention for several years and at one time was Vice President of the Baptist Convention of Texas.

Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Willie Manning, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Manning of Greenville; and five children as follows: Sam Dollahite, Jr., of Marlin; Joe Dollahite of Washington, D. C.; Herbert Dollahite, who is a ministerial student at Baylor University; Florence Marie and Edgar Dollahite at home. Two brothers and five sisters also survive: W. A. Dollahite of Bremond; John Dollahite of Hallsville; Mrs. John Wynne and Mrs. W. L. Terry of Edgewood; Mrs. Mamie Thompson of Hallsville; Mrs. Frank Grigsby and Mrs. Jim Nowell of Longview.

Lea Dry Goods Co. Will Open Soon In City

The Lea Dry Goods company, on Henderson, who specialize in the buying and liquidating merchandise, have bought from H Samson of Fort Worth the McAlexander stock on West side of the public square. They are planning their opening here soon and are now re-arranging and getting ready for same. J. Aubrey Lea, of Nacogdoches and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Burton of Henderson are here supervising the work.

Commandery Will Install Officers Friday Night

John C. Sears, E. C., and A. Blaine Smith, Recorder, call attention to an important meeting of McKinney Commandery No. 34 at the Masonic Temple in McKinney Friday Night, January 24, at 7 o'clock. Regular installation of officers will be the principal business of the program, while there will be a banquet before the meeting for all the Knights. "You are urged to come and wear your uniform if you can. If you can't wear your uniform please come anyway. We need you," advise Messrs. Sears and Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Howard of Fort Worth and Mrs. R. W. Davis of Waco were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackwell, 403 Tucker, over the week-end.

Joe B. Rogers, 89, Former Collin Man, Succumbs

Joe B. Rogers, 89, former long-time resident of Collin County, died at the home of his daughter, Miss Pauline Rogers, 4421 Glenwood, in Dallas, Tuesday night, Jan. 21, about 11 o'clock, following an illness of ten days. He was stricken with influenza, and, although he had enjoyed good health prior to that time, succumbed to the illness.

Mr. Rogers was born near Denison, in Grayson County, September 1, 1851. He was a resident of Texas all his life, and for the most part of Collin County. In 1919 he went to Dallas to make his home.

Mr. Rogers served as County Treasurer of Collin County two terms. He was first connected with I. D. Newsome & Sons, in 1882, remaining with that firm several years. He was next employed with the J. M. Wilcox and Sons Lumber Yard here.

Mr. Rogers was a life-long member of the Methodist Church, and, while living in McKinney, was active inthe First Methodist Church here, serving as Sunday School Superintendent for several years.

He was a member of the Odd Fellow Lodge.

Mr. Rogers was married to Miss Martha Elizabeth Shrader, one of the county's most prominent families. Mrs. Rogers preceded her husband in death in 1934. Fount Shrader of Frisco and J. K. P. Shrader, County Treasurer, are brothers-in-law of Mr. Rogers.

Three sons survive: Dr. C. L. Rogers, Marshall, Oklahoma; E. M. Rogers, D. H. Rogers, of Dallas, and one daughter, Miss Pauline Rogers, also of Dallas.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, January 23, at the home, 4421 Glenwood. Interment was in Restland Memorial Cemetery, Dallas.

Joe B. Rogers was a good, clean, honest, sober man, an excellent citizen. His many friends will be sorrowed at his passing-on. To all upon whom bereavement has fallen, we extend sincere condolence.

January Term Fifty-Ninth Court Opens

The January term of the District Court, under Judge Tom Suggs which convened Monday, January 20, will continue for a seven weeks' session.

Members of the Grand Jury selected to serve during this term include, and who have been in session this week are:

Foreman, R. G. Martin, Celina.
Clifford Carpenter, Farmersville.
Ed S. Dowell, McKinney.
George Jones, McKinney.
C. A. Mantooth, Princeton.
W. B. Luscomb, Anna.
Sam Lane, Frisco.
Ed Crockett, Prosper.
C. W. Forshee, Plano.
W. O. Johnson, Westminster.
J. W. McIver, Copeville.
John Thornton, Anna.

The Constables of the County were appointed to serve as Riding Bailiffs for the grand jury. T. A. Porter was appointed door bailiff.

Rumanian Premier Orders Anarchy Crushed In Nation

A twenty-four hour period for the complete crushing of anarchy which spread across Rumania after the assassination of a German general staff officers in Bucharest was ordered by Premier Gen. Ion Antonescu Tuesday night.

Antonescu, at the same time, militarized the nation's key industries, including arms plants, and placed army leaders in posts of high authority, including the Ministry of Interior and police.

An agreement between the Antonescu regime and the Iron Guards restored calm in Bucharest after day-long disorders described as amounting to the first lap of a national revolution.

North Baptist Brotherhood Holds Meeting

The North Baptist Brotherhood held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, enjoying a tamale supper. Supper arrangements were made by Johnny Gentle, James Arnold, and John Whisenant. Walter Commons is program chairman. President of the local Brotherhood is Vernon Lusk.

Senator Wallace Hughston is in Austin on legal matters.

Tobruk Falls To British; English Smash Stronghold

Unleashing a terrific blow against the Italian base of Tobruk and its 20,000 to 30,000 entrapped defenders, the British Empire Army, after smashing more than five miles through the inner defense of the Libyan stronghold Tuesday, announced the complete capitulation of the city.

More than 80,000 Italian prisoners had already been taken in Britain's blitzkrieg desert offensive before the big attack on Tobruk at dawn Tuesday. The British have swept the Italian invaders of Egypt back 160 miles.

The defenses of Tobruk were said to be far less formidable than those of Bardia, which fell Jan. 5, only after 25 days of siege.

British leaders assert that the base of Tobruk is more vital than Bardia.

McKinney High Trims Arlington Tuesday Night

Coach Swede McMurry's McKinney High Lions maintained their second place rating in the District 6 Cage Conference race Tuesday night with a 33-to-29 victory over Arlington. At the half, however, Arlington led 19-to-12. Ryan for Browning, at guard, Hefiner for Hendricks, Forward, were replacements for the second half play.

High point Lion was Orenduff, with 13 points. Harvey of Arlington was high point man for his team with 11 points.

Starting lineup for McKinney included: Forwards, Hendricks, Orenduff; Center, LaFollette; Guards, Browning, Hall.

The Lions second team won 34-to-18, with Eubanks high point player, scoring 11 points.

Maurice Proctor Enlists In U. S. Army For Year

Maurice Proctor will leave January 28 to begin a year's training in the Military service of the U. S. Army. Mr. Proctor, who has been acting Secretary-Treasurer of the Celina and Collin County National Farm Loan Associations here, has just recently resigned that duty, and since then the Board of Directors of the abovenamed Associations, in a meeting held here last week, elected Mrs. Launa Webb to succeed Mr. Proctor.

Maurice is a Collin County-reared boy, receiving his education in the public schools at Westminster and McKinney, graduating from Boyd High School. In 1933 he was employed by J. Boyd Webb, Secretary-Treasurer of the local office, later being transferred to the Dallas office of the National Farm Loan Association, and then to the Fort Worth office. Three years later he returned to McKinney and has since been with the local association in the above mentioned capacity. He is a splendid young man, being physically fit for army life and his multitude of friends congratulate him upon his volunteering services to his country for the coming year. He is quite popular in the younger social set here, as well as in Dallas and other places, and he has the best wishes of these friends while doing military service.

Mrs. Webb, who is succeeding Mr. Proctor, has been employed in the McKinney office for the past two years and stenographer and assistant bookkeeper and, with her business experience, is quite capable of carrying on the work. She is also receiving congratulations for her promotion with the association here.

M. H. Woodruff Is Called By Death At Lubbock Home

M. H. Woodruff, of Lubbock, former resident of McKinney, died at his home Tuesday, Jan. 21, according to a message received by Geo. W. James, with whom Mr. Woodruff was associated in business here. The firm, long established in this city, was known as Woodruff and James.

Funeral services were held in Lubbock Thursday afternoon, Jan. 23. Burial will be in Holland, Texas, Friday morning.

Mr. Woodruff was well-known in this city and county. His many friends will deeply regret his passing.

Quite a few farmers are plowing, especially on upland.

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Mrs. W. D. Browning of Melissa continues seriously ill at her home.

Production Credit Association Will Meet Here Jan. 24

Shareholders in the McKinney Production Credit Association will hold their Annual Stockholders Meeting in this city Friday, January 24, at 10:00 o'clock. The meeting will be held at the Hill Crest Country Club, at which time they will elect their Directors. A number of leading farmers and stockmen will address the meeting.

There are eight Counties served by the Association, as follows: Collin, Cooke, Dallas, Denton, Fannin, Grayson, Kaufman, and Rockwall. The Association has made considerable progress during the seven years of operation, with the membership of 700 leading farmers and stockmen.

Agriculturists realize a plan of cooperation is essential to the proper development of their industry.

Geo. Becker of Kaufman is President of the Association and Director from Kaufman County, W. L. Glazener, of McKinney, Secretary-Treasurer, Wre Sutherland, also of this city, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

Billy Edwards Meets Death In Auto Accident

Billy Edwards, noted retired wrestler, was killed in an automobile accident, which occurred at a bridge near Hillsboro, early Wednesday. He and his nephew, Billy Venable, were returning to Dallas from San Antonio, where they had attended a wrestling match the night before. His nephew was injured.

Edwards was well-known in McKinney, where he had often appeared on wrestling programs. He was famous for his chiropractic headlock, which he often employed to win matches.

PROGRAM GIVEN BY J. L. GREER SCHOOL PUPILS

The J. L. Greer P.-T. A. sponsored a program, in which children of the Greer (North) Ward School appeared, Tuesday night. Proceeds from the program will be used to purchase playground equipment for the school. The ladies of the P.-T. A. also sold candy, popcorn balls, and drinks at the program to replenish the playground equipment fund.

Paralysis Drive Is In Charge Of McKinney Jaycees

The helpless boy and girl, whose silent plea for help has become the pictorial slogan of the national infantile paralysis drive, stand atop a cardboard "bank" into which contributions may be dropped, the boxes of this design being distributed by the McKinney Jaycees in their city and county-wide campaign to raise funds for the worthy cause.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Monday afternoon it was decided the Jaycees would sponsor the local campaign of the national drive. The President's Ball, climatic event of the drive, held annually the night of Jan. 31, will not be sponsored in McKinney this year, the campaign for contributions replacing the dance. Jaycee President Clyde Doyle states that it was impossible to secure an orchestra for a President's Ball.

The "banks," in which contributions may be dropped, will be placed in prominent places in every community of the county, and everyone who feels a warm interest in the nation's infantile paralysis victims are urged to "do their bit" by placing whatever they can afford within the box.

The national drive is headed by President Roosevelt, the events being scheduled on his birthday.

E. L. Miller, Assistant Manager of the J. C. Penney Company, is attending a school in Waco this week for widow trimmers and card writers. Some thirty or forty other men from the diferent J. C. Penney stores are also in attendance.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Rushing and daughter, Joye, residing on Route 2, Blue Ridge, called by our office this week ordering the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the coming year. He also left an order for the paper to be sent to Miss Dessie Tackett, residing on Route 5, McKinney. Miss Tackett is an old friend and neighbor of the Rushing family. We thank these good people for their friendship and patronage.

Tear-Gas Knob Foils Would-Be McKinney Robbers

A specially constructed tear gas knob on the door of the safe at the Collin County Motor Company defeated the purposes of would-be intruders Monday night. When they knocked off the safe knob, tear gas filled the office and routed them.

Howard Thomas, parts man for the Motor Company, discovered the gas-filled office and broken knob Tuesday morning. The Sheriff's department, called on to the case, found no clues. The knob was protected from fingerprints by rags, wrapped about the knob before it was struck. It is believed the thieves hoped to stop the gas by wrapping the knob before striking it. The knob itself was marked as a tear gas knob. The rags were found, saturated with gas.

The safe could not be opened until late Tuesday when it was successfully cut into. The lock was jammed when the knob was knocked off. All contents of the safe were intact.

Entrance was gained to the office through the shop, where a window was broken in. Through another window the intruders gained access to the office.

The Sheriff's Department is investigating the case, but report no arrests have been made.

W. Phil Wolford Re-Elected Head Merchants Ass'n.

Directors to serve during the ensuing year were named at the annual meeting of the McKinney Retail Merchants Association, held Thursday night at the Chamber of Commerce Rooms in this city. The meeting was one of the most interesting and profitable in the history of that organization, with a splendid attendance of the business interests of the city present.

President W. Phil Wolford presided in his usual able manner. Secretary Chas. E. Graves made his annual report, showing the work of the organization the past year.

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New Directors.

The nine new Directors are: W. Phil Wolford, Clifton Dowell, Boone Johnson, Newton J. Burkett, Sam Smith, L. C. Kenyon, Fred Hicks, Benjamin Smith, and Loren King.

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At a meeting of newly-elected Directors of the McKinney Retail Merchants Association, held Friday afternoon, officers were elected for the year. They are: W. Phil Wolword, re-elected President; Banjamin Smith, Vice President, and Chas. E. Graves, re-elected Secretary.

Directors, elected at the annual meeting Thursday night, are: W. Phil Wolford, Clifton Dowell, Boone Johnson, Newton J. Burkett, Sam Smith, L. C. Kenyon, Fred Hicks, Benjamin Smith, and Loren King.

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A Dutch lunch, served at 6:45 o'clock preceding the program, and a program of able addresses rewarded those who attended. Principal speakers were Dr. J. M. Hooper, Director of the City-County Health Unit; J. B. Moonty, Secretary of the Collin County ACA, and District Clerk Jim Cantrell. County Agent Jack McCullough, W. L. Glazener, Manager of the McKinney Production Credit Association, P. R. Westmoreland, and others made brief addresses.

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Interesting Program.

Dr. Hooper described in detail phases of preventative work as directed by the Health Unit and of the importance to county-wide health of the health program now going forward, including vaccination and other means to prevent disease. His talk was enlightening and well received.

Mr. Mooney related the big amount of money coming to Collin County for farmers who are cooperating with the Federal Government's control program.

Mr. Cantrell described the value of a Retail Merchants Association to the merchants and the city. Business, he said, is more complicated today, with mass production and consumption programs, sales of goods by the installment plan and credit buying makes an organization such as the McKinney Retail Merchants highly valuable to the city.

The Program Committee was headed by C. Hansford Ray.

The Nominating Committee was composed of C. M. Cooper, Chairman; O. L. Hope, and T. J. Lane.

Pete Perkins, Jr., of Dallas spent the week-end here.

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Our good friend, John B. White, McKinney lumber dealer, is confined to his home with illness. His host of friends hope to see him up and out again soon.

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Miss Alma Griffey, who resides near Melissa, has gone to Denton, where she will spend five months in training at a Denton Hospital.

Roy Phillips Of Farmersville On School Board

Roy Phillips, outstanding citizen and well known resident of Farmersville, was appointed by the County School Board at its regular meeting Thursday to fill out the unexpired term of the late Lewis Combest.

Other members of the County School Board are: Chairman, C. A. Covington, of Frisco; Charlie Hooper, Farmersville; W. A. Smith, Nevada; Ben Smith, Prosper.

Two trustees also were appointed by the School Board for the Mesquite School, to finish the unexpired terms of two resigning members. J. R. Lovelace and H. J. Lokey were named for the positions.

Mr. Phillips, who will serve on the County Board, is manager of the Consumers Cotton Oil Company of Farmersville. An interested stockman, Mr. Phillips in recent years has purchased land just North of Farmersville, building a beautiful country home, near the High School Building. He is a progressive and civic-minded citizen, having the interest of community, county and schools foremost in mind.

Wilson 4-H Girls Hear Agent At Monthly Meeting

Diseases in fruit trees and vine fruits may be controlled by spraying, the Wilson 4-H Club girls learned in their meeting last Friday morning at the school house. Miss Helen Dunlap, County Home Demonstration Agent, told the club members that some of these sprays should be applied during the winter and others during the spring months. These sprays will help to control brown rot in peaches, worms in peaches and plums, etc. Sprays in the control of black rot in grapes, mildew, grape leaf folder and aphids.

MARY S. MILLER, Club Reporter.

Surprise Dinner For Uncle Steve Hall Is Enjoyed

A surprise dinner was given Wednesday to "Uncle Steve" Hall, the occasion being his 86th birthday. Many lovely and useful gifts were presented, and all enjoyed the day.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Walker, Miss Jerry Walker, Miss Patsy Walker, and Tommy Walker, of Shreveport, La.; Sergeant and Mrs. Ray Holton and Miss Dennis Holton of Fort Worth; Prof. and Mrs. Don Craft of Joy, Texas; J. D. Craft, 12th Air Base Squadron Kelly Field, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Buster Craft, Princeton; Capt. and Mrs. Roy Hall, Miss Sydney Anne and Roy, Jr., Mrs Mattie Gray and Mrs. Hettie Tipton of this city.

Uncle Steve spent the afternoon teaching the younger generation some new steps in both tap and jitterbug dancing.

Funeral Held Friday For Ernest A. McCoy

Ernest A. McCoy, age 58, died Wednesday, Jan. 15, at the Oklahoma City Hospital, following an illness of three and half years. Mr. McCoy suffered a stroke of paralysis resulting in the long confinement preceding his death.

The deceased was a brother of the late Bob McCoy of this city. Ernest McCoy resided in Collin County and Texas for 42 years, making his home near Celina, in the Northwest part of the county.

The son of Steven and Emma McCoy, the deceased was born Feb. 25, 1882, in Farmersville, Louisiana. He was a member of the Christian Church.

Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 17, at the Baptist Church in Celina, an Oklahoma City Minister in charge.

Interment was made in the Cottafje Hill Cemetery, Helms Funeral Home of Celina, directing.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mamie O'Brien McCoy; and two sons, L. B. McCoy, and Bill McCoy, both of Oklahoma City. Surviving brothers and sisters are: Mrs. W. L. Malone, Mrs. F. M. Bennett, D. A. McCoy of Celina; Mrs. A. W. Baker, of Dallas; Mrs. Lavada Carroll of Hereford, Texas; W. A. McCoy, Liberty Hill, Texas; one granddaughter.

Mrs. H. C. Bridgefarmer left Sunday for a month's visit in Austin with her son, U. S. Bridgefarmer and family. She was accompanied as far as Waco by her son, Dr. J. S. Bridgefarmer and Mrs. Bridgefarmer.

MT. PISGAH
By Mrs. E. M. Nickerson

Gordon Patrick spent Sunday th Junior Turner.

Mrs. C. F. Jones has the amps.

Miss Cora Combest continues improve after a long illness.

Mr. Clyde West has been very k but is improved now.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lovelace re Dallas visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jones were opping in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bondy ve moved to Copeville.

Ardell Hood has returned home ter visiting in Dallas a while.

Mr. Nip McBee is visiting his ece, Mrs. Lawrence Gibbs and usband of Neatherly.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Combest of uinlan visited Mrs. Amy Nall nd children Sunday.

Icie Wellman spent Sunday ight with Mrs. Willie Short and mily.

Mrs. Olivia Beasley spent part f last week with her brother, . D. Abbott, and wife.

Mr. W. H. Vernon of Wylie pent this week-end with friends ere.

R. H. White and son, Wayne, pent the week-end with relaives in Dallas.

Miss Arbie Abbott attended the uneral of a friend at Greenville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sloan visted Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Towery f Copeville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parrish of Farmersville recently visited Mr. nd Mrs. Jack McCormack.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Russell recently visited her parents, Mr. nd Mrs. Lemmons of Dallas.

We have had lots of colds and flu in our community the past two weeks.

Miss Evelyn West spent Thursday night with Miss Carry V. Watkins.

Mrs. R. H. White is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Manard Jones of Dallas.

Mr. Henry Turner and family from Mesquite have moved into our community. We welcome them.

Miss Jessie Weldon Kimberlin of Farmersville spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Maurice Short and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hill and children of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Vivian Page and son, Billy, visited her mother, Mrs. V. E. Combest and husband of Empire this week-end.

Mr. Cecil Sumrow and family of Dallas recently visited his sister, Mrs. H. C. Abbott, and family.

E. J. Wiser and family from Dump have moved into the house recently vacated by J. L. Smith. We welcome them.

Mrs. J. S. Jones and Mrs. W. P. Proctor attended the funeral of Mrs. Bell Montgomery at Copeville Saturday.

Miss Maggie Jones of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Jones Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Craft and baby of McKinney spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Craft.

Rev. C. H. Wilson of Culleoka filled his regular appointment at the church here over the week-end.

Walden and Betty Criswell of Dallas visited friends in our community Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Proctor has been real sick but is some better now. Mrs. C. F. Jones has also been on the sick list.

Mrs. Bertah Ryan of Lavon spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Martha Proctor.

Leonard Nickerson of Dallas and Jessie Nickerson of Clearlike visited E. M. Nickerson and family Sunday.

Misses Hazel and Gladys Jones spent Sunday night with their cousins, Misses La Nell and Maida June Patterson.

H. H. Abbott helped his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Abbott move from Spring Hill to Thompson Community one day this week.

Mrs. Daniels moved to Garland this week. Mr. Odos Watkins and family moved into the house vacated by Mrs. Daniels and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Criswell of Merced, California, spent the week-end with her father, E. M. Nickerson, and family, and left for California this Monday morning.

Mr. Virgil West and Mr. Oda West of Calvera, Oklahoma, spent part of last week with their brother, Clyde West, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Short and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Short and sons of Josephine recently visited their mother, Mrs. Ora Short and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Short and children, Ken and Jack, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimberlin, of Farmersville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Landon Griffith and children of Covington, Tenn., spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Ora Short and other relatives here.

Mrs. Leon Lovelace and Miss Maud Jones and H. H. Abbott visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Abbott of Spring Hill and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rutledge of Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Abbott of Princeton, Wednesday.

Miss Marie Short, daughter of Mrs. Ora Short, has announced her marriage last July to Mr. Arnold Edwards of Wichita Falls. Marie has been reared in our community, and has a host of friends here who are wishing them much happiness. They are

WESTON
Miss Mary Button

Omer Bilderback is a patient in the McKinney City Hospital.

Miss Christine Hansard is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Burch Stiles at Stiff Chapel.

Miss Mattie Smith of Coleman, Okla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs Vineyard Reneau.

C. H. James of Groom spent Friday night here with Mr. and Mrs. Dell Parker.

Marvin Ray Frair, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Frair, has been ill.

Marvin Johnson underwent an operation at the McKinney City Hospital Monday.

Mrs. P. B. Mugg is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Mugg at Dallas.

Miss Marie Yates of McKinney visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Yates Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Cowan and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cowan of Emory.

Mrs. S. L. Betty and Annabelle Cave are improving. They are ill with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Baker, Mrs. O. L. Baker of Savoy, Mrs. Maurice Gage of Sherman spent Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Button and family.

The play "The Path Across The Hill" was postponed from last Friday night to this Friday night, Jan. 17.

Mrs. J. C. Loftice of Celina visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Watson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brimer, Agnes O'Connor, and Mrs. B. A. Comer spent Thursday in Wilson, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Winters of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Huff and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Keen are spending the week-end in Wichita Falls with Harold Keen, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cypress.

Mrs. Alice Taylor and son, Bobby, of McKinney, Miss Blanch Brimer of Dallas, visited Mrs. Joe Brimer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Venerable and family have moved to the house on the Comer Appollas farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nixon of Van Alstyne, Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Nixon of Anna visited Mrs. Ira Nixon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stiles and Benny Stiles spent Thursday in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stiles and other relatives.

Miss Jim Frair of Denton, Miss Doloras Thompson and Wilma Frair of Alla visited Miss Mary Margaret Button Sunday.

Mrs. Gus Hansard underwent an operation for removal of appendix at the McKinney hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Taylor and family and Miss Barbara Peebles attended the puppet opera "Carmen" in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Whitaker have moved from the Ike Smith farm to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Watson for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and children of Madill, Okla. Frank Brown of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brown this week-end.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alex Hubbard of Justin, Miss Margie Coleman of McKinney visited the Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Coleman Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Wilson have announced the birth of a daughter, Carolyn Jean, Thursday night. Mrs. Wilson is the former Panzy Tillerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Atilee Tillerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Biggs, son, Robert Lee, of Amarillo, Mrs. Frank Benett and Mrs. Lee Malone of Celina visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Button and Mrs. Amy Culwell Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phillips and daughter, and Miss Lavern Cowan visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawson and family at Pilot Point Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Speck were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jaco, Greenville, Mrs. H. R. Childress of McKinney, Mrs. C. T. English, Arthur Childress, Dallas, Miss Rosa Blackwell, Kelly, Melvin Speck, Lufkin.

FROGNOT
By Mrs. Frank Byars, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vanbevers have the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McComock of Climax visited Mr. Jess McDonald and family one day last week.

Several from this community attended the funeral of Uncle Chris Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sellers of Dallas were Sunday guests of Mr. Jess McDonald and family.

L. T. McGuffey and Miss Compton of Celeste were married a few weeks ago.

Mrs. W. F. McDonald and son have the flu at this writing, but are some better.

Mr. and Mr. Buel Noles of Blue Ridge are attending the bedside of Mrs. W. F. McDonald and son.

Mrs. Ella Walker of Melissa attended the funeral of Uncle Chris Hooper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McDonald have received word of his sister-in-law, Aunt Mollie McDonald, of West Texas.

L. T. is a fine young business man is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John McGuffey of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barnett will move to Mrs. Bloomer's place at Valdasta. We are sorry to lose this good family from our community.

Mrs. Geo. Haggard and baby daughter, of Plano, were removed to their home from the City

ROLAND
By Mrs. Iva Brown

Mrs. Bert Botsford of near Van Alstyne visited Mrs. Mattie Botsford part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sauls visited Mr. and Mrs. Calude Collins of Altoga part of last week.

Mr. J. W. Cox, who has been sick with flu, for the past several days is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Branch of Foote visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Caplinger, Sr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stibbens are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bales and son, of Durant, Okla.

Prof. Cox and wife of Bishop community visited the former's mother, Mrs. R. O. Cox.

Mrs. Dick Kirkland who has been sick with the flu, for the past ten days, is some better.

Mrs. Forest Arnold who has been sick for the past several days is now able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Blocker and children of Lubbock, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sauls and family last week.

Miss Claudia Hunter who attends NTSTC Denton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hunter.

Mrs. Hall and brother, Prof. Clarence Cox of Bishop Community, were Dallas visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown, also Mrs. J. H. Massey and George, Sunday.

Mrs. Avo Cox and little daughter, Lyda Ann, of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Cox Sunday afternoon.

Billy Crawford and family moved Wednesday north of Chambersville; sorry to lose this good family from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Kirkland of Lancaster, Texas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kirkland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mantooth and children, also Mrs. Julia Norris, of Bloomdale, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kirkland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sauls and daughter, Miss Alpha, also Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sauls, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hawker of Lone Star Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cox and baby, Jerry, Mrs. Kate Stibbens and son, Bennie Lee, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dock Robbins and children of Dallas Sunday.

C. A. Carter and children and mother, Mrs. J. F. Carter, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carter and children of Womble Community Sunday.

Jessie Stibbens who has been staying with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Smith in Dallas returned home Sunday.

Roy Crawford and family moved to Giles place near Chambersville, Tuesday. Jack Hunter and wife moved in the house vated by Mr Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Burch and daughter, Miss Dean, of Wetsel, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jennings and children, of near Melissa, visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Jennings, Sunday.

WHITE ROCK
Mrs. Burl Coffey

Ray and Houston Hartley of McKinney visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hartley.

Misses Irene and Hazel Faye Lewis spent a few days last week with relatives of Dallas.

Miss Helen Coffey of Nocona spent Christmas week with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Marshall and family visited relatives in Arkansas Christmas week.

Mrs. W. S. Lewis spent last week with relatives at Grapevine.

Mrs. Robert Duke visited her brother, Mr. Will Scribner, of Chambersville, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Coffey and son of McKinney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wallis and family of Melissa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wallis and family.

Mrs. Zora Nichols and daughter, Miss Edna, spent a few days with relatives of Dallas recently.

Douglas Nichols of Denton and Prof. Raymond Nichols of Chambersbille spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Nichols.

Weldon, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Amon Raper, is on the sick list also Mrs. Sportsman, Alice Joyce Wallis, Mrs. Morgan Raper, and others.

The Home Demonstration Club enjoyed their Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wallis. Refreshments were served several club members and their husbands.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Ashford and family of Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young, Mrs. Nina Ford and son of Dallas were visitors of Aunt Sallie Slaughter recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulder and family have moved to Blue Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Luna and family have moved near Trenton. We regret losing these people but welcome Mr. and Mrs. Kelly and Mr. and Mrs. George and families into the community.

Mrs. A. B. Haney, who resides at 606 North Tennessee Street, and who has been ill for the past few weeks, is convalescing nicely and is able to be up part of the time.

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J. L. Evans, prominent Northeast Collin farmer, was a business visitor in the county seat Saturday and called by this office, ordering his Weekly paper changed from the Chamblies community to Altoga. Mr. and Mrs. Evans and children, Willie, Helen and Cecil, have just recently

GRAYBILL
Mrs. W. L. Hall, Corr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Webb were visiting in Van Alstyne Monday.

There is a lot of sickness in our community.

Miss Gyne Johnson visited Miss Loraine Griffen Sunday.

Mr. John Easton was shopping in Sherman Saturday.

Rev. Vernon Price of Bells preached at the Westminster Baptist Church Sunday, Jan. 5.

Mr. Bill Hall and Clarence Turner went to tradesday at Van Alstyne Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dug Ingram from Anna visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powell Sunday.

Rev. Boling from Snow Hill preached at the Westminster Baptist Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Giles from Murphy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Giles Sunday.

Mrs. Marshall Brown from Sherman was in our community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hancock from Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fain Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hill and children, Marlene and Willis, Jr., visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Vineyard, and family at Van Alstyne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Umphress of Smoots Villa visited her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Kermitt Giles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Dickerson have moved close to Desert, and Mr. Cleon Kelly and family have moved where they moved from.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Giles are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born Jan. 5. They have named her Maude Ann.

Guests Sunday of Mrs. Sallie McClure were her children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Price and family from Bell, Mr. and Mrs. aClvin McFerrin and son, Earl Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Johnson and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandage and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cantrell at Valdasta Sunday.

NORTH BLUE RIDGE
Miss Faye Hudson, Corr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Ballew have moved to McKinney.

Miss Faye Hudson visited Mrs. J. H. Taylor of Verona Sunday.

Mr. J. L. Hudson of Rosamond Chapel visited his mother, Mrs. Alice Hudson, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy, Jr., and children have moved to the place vacated by Mr. Lewis.

Mr. John Price and family have moved into our community. We welcome them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mink of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Haesner Friday night.

School has been dismissed for a week because of the flu among teachers and pupils.

Misses Faye and Aline Hudson attended Worker's Conference at the North Baptist Church at McKinney Monday.

Frank Mulder and family have moved into the house owned by Mr. Hann. Mr. Hann has moved to Oklahoma.

Mr. Jim C. Cantrell of McKinney filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning. Services were dismissed Sunday night because of the illness of the pastor, Rev. E. E. Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lewis and family have moved to the J. T. Grisham home place in the Verona community. We regret to lose these fine people from our midst.

WINNINGKOFF
Tressie Spearman

Several are on the sick list at this writing.

Thomas Dean spent Sunday with Howell Scalf.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashby spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dotson of Enloe.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Rolf visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morrow Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Earnest Box of Princeton visited Elbert Lee Clarkson Sunday.

We regret to give up our good neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith, who have moved to the Bishop community.

There was a miscellaneous shower given honoring Mr. and Mrs. Lovd Gooch, Friday night; they received many useful gifts.

Miss Tressie Spearman spent ten days in Dallas recently, with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Spearman.

Mrs. Lillie Salmon, son, Dan, and daughter, Imogene, of Princeton, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Owin Gallaher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Embray, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Spearman and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pearman of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spearman and family Sunday afternoon.

We miss our beloved physician, Dr. R. E. Morrow, who is in the City Hospital with pneumonia. We wish him back with us soon. His daughter, Mrs. Clinch McMillan of Jasper, Texas, is at his bedside.

Mrs. T. J. Spaugh, 503 North Tennessee Street, was admitted to the City Hospital Thursday, undergoing an operation Friday.

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Frances Sue Dyer of Farmersville is a patient at the City Hospital. She was admitted Thursday night for treament.

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W. P. (Bill) Meacham of San Angelo is greeting his many friends in McKinney Friday. He went to San Angelo from McKinney last September, working West Texas for Ben Keith's Big Produce House. Dropped in and tells us that he has been transferred to Abilene and will be there in the future. Fine young man and knows his groceries and produce. All of Bill's friends were glad to see him.

ANNA
Mrs. W. P. Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Powell were Sherman visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Isbell is very ill at the McKinney Hospital.

Jerry Trout was a Sherman visitor, Saturday.

Miss Anna Belle West was a Dallas visitor Saturday.

G. H. Estep of Sherman visited relatives here, Sunday.

R. F. Strother was a McKinney visitor Monday.

They visited relatives enroute and reported a good time.

Mrs. Page Mason and Miss Mabel Ford of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Barton of Mineral Wells visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Glee Riffe of Muskogee sister-in-law of Mr. Brown returned with him for a visit.

Mrs. Vorilla Rampey and daughter, Irene, were Van Alstyne visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs James Covington of Plano were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bass Sunday.

Miss Gladys Shelton of Branch was the week-end guest of home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Powell have moved from south of town to a farm near Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Crank have moved into the G. W. West rent house west of town.

Miss Wanda Sullivan of Princeton visited Mr. and Mrs. Pat Estep, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Murphy spent the week-end with relatives at Whitewright.

Miss Bennye Nell Johnson of Sherman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson, Sunday.

Mrs. W. G. Trother and Miss Jewel Giles were McKinney visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harkins visited their son, A. L., who is a student at SMU Friday.

Mrs. F. C. Ogilvie and Miss Anna Lou Powell were McKinney visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Earthman of Merkel visited Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Srother, briefly, Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Barward Franklin were Sherman visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryant and children of Dallas spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vermillion visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dixon at Blue Ridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cantrell of McKinney and Mayo Powell of Sherman visited at the H. E. Powell home, Sunday.

Mrs. Pat Estep and daughter, Mrs. Ben Gross and Margie Estep were shopping at Sherman, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Smith and daughter, Faye of McKinney, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Turner, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hagin visited relatives at Murphy Wednesday. Mrs. Millie Smith returned with them for a visit.

Joe Franklin of Brownwood was the week-end guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Barward Franklin.

Miss Bonnye Peall Hendricks of Dallas was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Wes Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Vermillion and Bro. Franklin attended the Grayson County Worker's Conference at Van Alstyne, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Rattan and Eck Brown have returned from Michigan, where they went to buy new automobiles.

Prof. W. L. Roper received treatment at the McKinney Hospital, Saturday and Sunday. He was able to be back at his place in the Anna High School Monday.

Joe Roper and son, Joe Rodney, Roy Ramie and W. A. Thornton of Trinity were the guests of Prof. and Mrs. W. L. Roper Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Merrill has returned from Dallas where she has been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Manuel Moffitt, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lair and son of Altoga visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Walthal and other relatives here, the past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harben Turner of Westminster have moved into the McLain home in the south part of town. We welcome them to our town.

Among those who are suffering with the flu are: Mrs. John Morgan, Mrs. W. L. Roper, Jess Roper, Mrs. Grady Ford, Reba Reaves, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. John Claire of Jackson, Ohio, visited Mrs. Ben Gross Friday. Mrs. Gross of San Antonio is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Estep.

Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Barnett and two children of Dallas were the guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lair and family of Gunter visited their relatives here, Sunday. Their daughter, Mrs. Hubert Rutherford returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. R. B. Rosamond, Miss Cora Cox and Mrs. J. A. Butler have been attending the bedside of Miss Grace Foster, who is seriously ill at the McKinney Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haggard, Route 2, Plano, are the parents of a baby girl, born Thursday, Jan. 16, at the City Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennemer of Plano are the parents of a baby daughter, born Thursday, Jan. 9, in Dallas. The little miss has been christened Kathryn.

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Mrs. Homer Luellen and Mrs. Annie Campbell, both of Plano, were visitors in our office Monday, ordering the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the coming year. These ladies are sisters. We appreciate their visit and thank them for their patronage.

COTTAGE HILL
By Mrs. J. B. Tucker, Cor.

Miss Rogenia Rudolph of Frisco spent the week-end with Dimple Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields of Alla has moved to the Cottage Hill community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harris has moved to the new house on Mr. V Reneau's farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Francis and daughter, Velma Ruth, spent Sunday in McKinney with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Pit Hamby of Yarnally, Okla., spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tucker and Francis and Mr. E. Combest went to Kenefick, Okla., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tucker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kindle of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. George Boals of Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Davis of Frisco, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Malone of this community were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. Combest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hays, Jr., of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Thomasson of Franklin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hays.

PIKE
By Mrs. A. R. McMurray

Rev. T. L. Grumbles filled his appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Funeral services for Mrs. Chris Hooper, one of Blue Ridge's oldest and best known citizens were held today.

Bill Clinton, who lived here 30 years, has bought and moved to a farm near Paris, lived the past two years at Farmersville.

Mr. Ben Dunn, ginner, has moved to Bailey. W. A. Sims has moved to the Methodist parsonage vacated by Mr. Dunn.

Gerald Ray St. Clair has moved from the J. F. Frasier farm to his father's farm north of Pike.

Ralph Braddy, C. L. Fry, G. N. White and son, Duard, heard Grand Master Cantey at McKinney Masonic Lodge Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. H. Perkins and son, Mac, of Farmersville, spent the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Murry, and her sister, Mrs. Alwyn Golden, of Leonard.

Von Ray Arnold, son of Mrs. Maggie Sears Sullivan, of Lane, and bride, formerly of Dallas, will live on his farm south of Pike, a part of his great-grandfather, R. W. Lane, Sr.'s land.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sims who have lived three years near Plainview have moved back to her childhood home, the J. Frank Frasier farm, having bought the interest of her brother, Otis Frasier, of Fort Worth.

Mrs. C. T. Ferguson, Second Vice-President of District PTA, organized Pike T.-T. A Friday afternoon with the following officers: President, Mrs. E. L. Young; Vice-President, Mrs. Geo. Gilmore; Secretary, Mrs. C. L. Fry.

Mrs. Mary Kate Patty died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. H. Sharp, Wednesday night. She was born in Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 5, 1868. She was married to J. J. Patty in 1875, and lived for many years at Pike, Leonard, and Lane. She moved to Jones County about 35 years ago.

Following her death her body was taken overland to Plainview to be interred beside her husband, who died six years ago. Besides Mrs. Sharp, the following children survive: Robert and Ernest Patty, Plainview, Texas; Frank Patty, Lueders; Mrs. Maggie Macon, McAdoo; Mrs. Nell McKinney, Odessa; Mrs. Etta Gross, Lubbock.

Thursday the residence occupied by Harvey Dickson on Y. T. Manning's farm was destroyed by fire with the contents, also the smokehouse. The first house there was built by Jno. Robinson 50 years ago; later Jno. Lee sold it to G. W. McCurley; after his death his wife had the house he built 45 years ago. As no one was at home neighbors who saw the fire were unable to save anything except the little daughter's wagon and a few toys.

Wilbur B. Golden, aged 55, died at his home 3 miles west of Leonard, Monday after 3 months' illness. Born near Nobility, son of Jno. Tyler, his entire life near Leonard, married to Miss Annie Ready at Trenton, in 1907. Besides his wife he leaves two sons, Cone, of Dallas; Wilford, Leonard; two daughters, Mrs. Wren Grimes, Leonard; Mrs. Bernard Neel, Blue Ridge; his mother; and the following brothers, George, Arnie, and Oscar, of Leonard, Holly of Wichita Falls, and J. T., Jr., of Amarillo; five sisters: Mesdames C. W. Butler, Ed Morrow, A. L. Smith, and Ira Moats, of Leonard, and Mrs. Earl Hughes, of Trenton. Funeral services held Tuesday at Leonard Methodist Church, interment in Leonard Cemetery.

Omer Bilderback, Route 1, Celina, was removed to his home from the City Hospital Wednesday.

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C. R. Horton of Princeton called at our office Tuesday, renewing the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. Mr. Horton is in receipt of a letter from his daughter, Mrs. Opal Flanders, who is one of the teachers in the Phillips Grade School, Phillips, Texas. Mrs. Flanders has been teaching there the past four years. The school employs 28 teachers, recently completed a $120,000 building. Mrs. Flanders also subscribes for the Weekly, in order to keep in touch with events of her home county.

Mrs. Frank Hammit, wife of a local school teacher at Weston was brought to the McKinney hospital Monday, critically ill of pneumonia.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Peters have moved from McKinney to Anna. Mr. Peters is manager of a service station. They occupy a house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Matthews and son, who moved to Hillsboro.

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Will J. (Bill) Rhea, than whom there is no better posted man in Rotary and (can he tell it), in all Texas, by invitation, addressed the Farmersville Rotary Club Tuesday. All who heard him know more now about Rotary.

Services were held at the Canon cemetery Tuesday afternoon for Samuel Charles Ingram, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ingram, who died at the family home Monday afternoon. The baby was born Dec. 31, 1940.

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Dow Rattan was reelected President of the First National bank of Anna Tuesday afternoon. C. B. Barger of Fort Worth was elected cashier to replace the late H. G. Giles. Wayne Sherley was elected vice president; S. L. Smith, assistant cashier, and Mrs. Jim Cantrell, bookkeeper. Directors are Mr. Rattan, Mr. Barger, Mrs. Elizabeth Alexander, Mrs. Myrt Giles, W. L. Hendricks, L. H. Goforth and Mr. Sherley.

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J. F. Bone had business in Dallas. He attended the shoemen's convention there.

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Mrs. Wylie F. Hammett, of Westminster, was able to return home Sunday, following several days' treatment at the City Hospital.

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Bishop Dubose Passes Away In Nashville, Tenn.

Bishop Horace Mellard DuBose, 82, learned scholar and vigorous administrator of the former Southern Methodist Church until he retired seven years ago, died in Nashville, Tenn., Wednesday.

The churchman, whose retirement came before the final unification of the three branches of Methodism, for which he had long labored, had been in declining health for more than a year.

He served his church for more than half a century as a minister, an editor and an executive.

Born in 1858 near Mobile, Ala., he was ordained as a Methodist minister in 1879. Elevated to the episcopacy in 1918, he was appointed bishop of the Pacific Coast Conference. He later returned to Nashville as leader of the Tennessee Conferences.

The body lay in state at a Nashville Methodist Church. The funeral was held Friday.

Served in Texas.

As a young preacher, Bishop DuBose served charges in Mississippi, Texas and California until in 1890 he became editor of the Pacific Methodist Advocate. In 1894 DuBose was made editor of the Epworth Era, young people's publication, and secretary of the Epworth League.

After serving more pastorates in Georgia, he was named editor of the Methodist Quarterly Review in 1915 and took up his residence in Nashville, the city he grew to regard as his home. He had lived here for the past sixteen years, in quiet study after his retirement.

Bishop DuBose was a militant prohibitionist. As a layman, he opposed Alfred E. Smith's presidential candidacy in 1928.

Survivors include his widow; two daughters, Mrs. F. B. McGinnis of Memphis and Mrs. K. P. Barton of San Angelo, Tex.; four sons, L. V., E. M. and Robert DuBose, all of Nashville, and Horace M. DuBose, Jr., of New York City; two sisters, Miss Alice DuBose of Los Angeles and Mrs. Ann DuBose Gray of Waynesboro, Miss., and a brother, Will DuBose of Pomona, Cal.

CARD OF THANKS.

We want to thank each and everyone for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved wife, mother, daughter, sister and aunt, Molly Isbell. May God bless each one of you.

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Mrs. Click White has been ill at her home for the past few days. Her many friends hope she will soon be better.

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Baptist Training Union Is Held In McKinney Thursday

The Baptist Training Union, held Thursday afternoon and evening at the First Baptist Church, attracted representatives from seventeen churches in the county. Rev. Jerry Lambdin, of Nashville, Tenn., had charge of the inspirational program, which was one of a series of similar meetings being conducted over the entire state during a three-day period.

Assisting Rev. Lambden were Mrs. Lambdin, Mrs. Walters, Miss Knowlton, both of Fort Worth, and Miss Miller. Each of the workers had charge of a conference period during the day.

At 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Dr. Marshall Craig of Dallas brought an inspirational address, greatly enjoyed by the entire assembly. Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, Pastor of the North Baptist Church, addressed the assembly at 4 o'clock on "The Value of the Training School to the Church." Rev. Bradshaw is one of the city's most forceful and inspiring speakers, his message on this occasion being excellent.

The rest of the afternoon was devoted to conferences. At 5:45 o'clock the meeting was adjourned until evening. Supper was served in the dining room of the First Baptist Church.

At 7 o'clock the Training Union reassembled, and the conference periods were resumed. Rev. Lambdin brought the climatic message during the evening.

A highly successful meeting was the comment of all who attended. The Training Union visitors, Rev. Lambdin and his assistants, proceeded to Sherman Friday for a similar meeting in that city.

Miss Fletcher Anderson had charge of local B. T. U. arrangements.

Resolutions.

At a regular meeting of the County Board of Trustees held on the 16th day of January, 1941 it came to the attention of the Board that our friend and fellow member, Mr. Lewis Combest, had passed to the great beyond on the 5th day of January, 1941 and because of the fact that this Board not only desires to show its respect for the memory of this good man but because it wished to honor him, for his great public service for many years, the following resolution was passed:

Whereas, Mr. Lewis Combest has been a member of this Board for the last eighteen years and

Whereas, he was noted for his unusual knowledge of school affairs and

Whereas, because of his love for the public school system he has devoted a great part of his life to the building of the common school system of Collin County and

Whereas he was a public spirited citizen with the pioneer spirit of accomplishment and throughout his service as member of the County Board of Trustees has untailingly and unfalteringly given of his time and energy to building of our common school system

Therefore, be it resolved that we both, as individual members of the Collin County Board of Trustees, and as the official Board do hereby tender to the family and to the public this expression of sympathy for the loss of this good man with the full knowledge that the service he has rendered has laid up for him a crown in Heaven that comes to all who practice the great teaching "I am my brother's keeper."

Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to the family of Mr. Lewis Combest, a copy be spread on the minutes of this Board and a copy be given to the press.

Respectfully submitted by committee,
J. W. MOSELEY.
W. A. SMITH.
MRS. IRENE MARTIN.

Emporia Editor In Mineral Wells

William Allen White, famous editor-publisher of the Emporia (Kan.) Gazette and a leader in the national aid-to-Britain movement, is resting at Mineral Wells.

Mr. White said he came to the resort town "to get away from plans."

Accompanying him were Mrs. White and Victor Murdock, Editor of a Wichita, Kan., newspaper.

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Mrs. J. B. Morris of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Morris, 615 West Lamar Street.

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Mrs. A. H. Eubanks, Jr., who submitted to a minor operation in the City hospital Monday, is doing nicely.

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Miss Mamie McWhirter of Weston is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cunningham, 310 North Oak.

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Mrs. Mae Williams, Route 2, Blue Ridge, was admitted to the City Hospital Monday for treatment.

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bn Defeat lnhm By 26-15 or Thursday

e Kinney High Lions won dstr 5 victory Thursday t, feating the Bonham tan, 26-to-15, in the Mcley igh Gymnasium. Only ga was played, that be- n t first teams of the two pls.Bonham's reserve was y juced by illness among plars, making it impossible upy hwo teams.

enff of McKinney was high t yer for the Lions ,scor- 8 ints.

oresses Win ve Anna By oe Of 39-18

he McKinney High Lionesses ate the Anna girls' cage n 9-to-18 Wednesday night, the Anna Gymnasium, in a ss . Conference match. The ness' second team lost 10- t the Anna girls' second n.

irs team lineup included: h cMillan, Ruth Russell, and gi Hoskins, Forwards; Ruth r, Margaret Coffey, Mary Co- , Cards.

rners, Ranchmen w Largest Bank

Nothe second time since its ization in 1917, Texas' largest bk, The Federal Land Bank cHton, is owned entirely by mers and ranchmen of ns.According to advice re- vefrom Sterling C. Evans, esit of the bank, all Govam-owned stock has been retied all of the capital stock o tcooperative credit institution the hands of those who ue facilities.

Orally capitalized by Congresse Federal Land Bank of Hous was established in 1917 to ple farmers and ranchers in Te with a source of long- term ortized, low-cost farm mortg loans made through nationalrm loan associations. Wise agement of the cooperativedit system coupled with bers' favorable repayment rd made it possible to retire capital stock invested in Thederal Land Bank of Housty the Federal Treasury, it waplained.

Thisarks the second time that onal farm loan associations e owned all of the capital sk of The Federal Bank of Hton. The first time was in 19 To enable the bank to meet nergency refinancing demn in 1932, the capital stock of t bank was increased by tsry subscriptions.

w Deputy For eriff's Force

eriff W. E. Button informs what the County Commissioners Court has allowed him to add aher member to his force., wh he says will make for an ev better law-enforcement rec- o for the county. He has named Euel Ford, former Constable precinct One, to the new position Deputy Sheriffs in that of- f under Sheriff Button, being I Rike, Roy Hayes, Euel Ford a A. G. (Arbie) Sparlin, the ler being Jailer and in charge identification work.

p until February, 1940, the ce had four deputies, says riff Button, the addition of ty Ford bringing the numb of deputies to their former mber and strength.

heriff Button is naturally psed to add another Deputy to h force. He appreciates the sideration shown by the Coun- Commissioners Court, composed of County Judge J. E. Abernathy, and County Commissioner Joe Bunch, Ralph Bedell, Orge Dalton, and J. G. St. Cir.

Deputy Ford is a well-known and liked law enforcement officer, who understands his work and who is an able peace officer. His addition will add to the effectiveness of the office and will result in a more widespread and general law-enforcement program in the county, says Sheriff Button.

Colored Baptist Minister Dies At McKinney Home

Rev. L. A. Storey (Col.) 79 years old, died at his home in McKinney Tuesday night, Jan. 14 He had been a resident of McKinney the past fourteen years. Funeral services were held in Colbert, Oklahoma, Sunday, a large group of McKinney relatives and friends accompanying the body overland. The deceased formerly lived in Colbert.

Rev. Storey was a former pastor of the Colored Baptist Church of McKinney.

He is survived by six children, three grandchildren, and one sister.

George Clark, Route 2, McKinney, underwent an operation at the City Hospital Sunday evening.

Eastern Star Members Attend Denison Meeting

Several members of the local Order of the Eastern Star attended a buffet supper and meeting of the Gate City Chapter 77 at Denison, Wednesday evening. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Crystal McCoy, who is Grand Examiner of District, exemplified the degrees with Mrs. Karl Talkington, of this city, who is Grand Deputy, filling the station of Electa.

Those from the local Chapter who attended the meeting were Mrs. Talkington, Miss Byrdie Keen, Mrs. Helen Cox, Mrs. Guy DeLaMar, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Young, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Lennington.

H. M. Head Is New Sales Supervisor Of T. P. & L. Co.

New sales supervisor at the Texas Power and Light Company is H. M. Head, formerly of Paris, Texas. Mr. Head has moved to McKinney with his family, making their home on North Kentucky Street. He held a position similar to his present one with the Paris office, being Field Sales Supervisor there.

Mr. Head is a good business executive and a leader in community affairs. It is McKinney's good fortune to have Mr. Head and his fine family make their home here.

Magazine Story Pays Tribute To Cong. Rayburn

Tribute is paid a noted Texan, Hon. Sam Rayburn of Bonham, Speaker of the National House of Representatives in Washington, D. C., in the current issue of The Saturday Evening Post, now on the news stands of the city, and elsewhere throughout the country. The issue, of January 18, was obligingly brought by a day or two early for our inspection by our good friend, M. A. Jones, magazine representative of several North Texas cities, who lives on North Church Street, this city.

The story, an intimate, close-up picture of the Congressman representing this District, who now occupies one of the nation's most important posts of duty, is written by Joseph Alsop and Robert Kintner, noted Washington correspondents.

Describing him as a "plain man from Texas," the authors point out that he began life humbly, as one of a family of fourteen crowded into a small frame house on forty acres of the Texas black-land belt cotton country. Commenting on his advancement, they assert that he has been a lawmaker for thirty-four of his fifty-nine years. He lives simply in a small, two-room service apartment, is embarrassed by the grandeur of the official limousine that goes with the Speakership, and his pleasures are as simple as his life. The authors likewise comment on his farm near Bonham, Texas, and his enthusiasm for his herd of prize Jersey cattle.

The story is ably illustrated and provides interesting reading, particularly so in Texas and in this, his own district, since most of the readers are intimately acquainted with Mr. Rayburn.

McKinney Host To Texas Waterworks, Sewerage Ass'n.

Thirty officials attended the monthly meeting of the North Texas Waterworks and Sewerage Association Wednesday night, Jan. 15, at 7:30 o'clock at Woods Cafe. Thirty officials from twelve towns, attended. Cities represented included: Gainesville, Nocona, St. Jo, Decatur, Marietta, Oklahoma; Munster, Celina, Plano, Prosper, Sherman, Whitesboro, and McKinney.

Vernon Crockett, Sanitary Engineer of the City-County Health Unit, of McKinney, presided over the meeting. Mayor W. B. Mitchell welcomed the visitors. L. D. White, Assistant City Manager of Decatur, gave the response.

The following officers were elected during the business session:

R. P. Reagan, City Manager of Gainesville, President, succeeding Fred Suggs, City Secretary of Whitesboro, who was unable to be present.

E. D. Tucker, Waterworks Superintendent of Nocona, Vice President, succeeding B. F. Owens, Water Superintendent of Decatur.

L. D. White, of Decatur, elected Secretary and Treasurer to succeed R. P. Reagan, of Gainesville.

Following the election of officers the meeting was turned over to George Carter of McKinney, Chairman of the Program Committee.

Principal address of the evening was "Design, Construction and Operation of Water Wells" by Mr. Roland, Field Engineer for Layne-Tex Company of Dallas. A general discussion of this subject was held after the address. Movies were shown in connection with the address.

The enjoyable banquet and excellent program was tendered the visitors by the City of McKinney, for which the guests expressed their gratitude.

Present from McKinney were Dr. H. F. Wolford, City Health Officer; Dr. J. M. Hooper, Director City-County health Unit; Mr. Whitbee, Sanitary Engineer Water Department of Dallas, formerly connected with the State Health Program; City Commissioner J. H. Snapp, E. L. Taylor, and Gene Crittenden, of the City Secretary's office.

Included among the visitors were Mayors, Councilmen, Waterworks Superintendents and Engineers, City Secretaries and Managers.

Next meeting of the Association will be at A. and M College in connection with the Annual Texas Waterworks and Sewerage Association Short Course, which opens Feb. 17, and continues all that week.

Third meeting of the new year will be held the third Wednesday night in March at Decatur.

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James M. Ivy and Mrs. Faye Bryant, both of this city, were happily united in marriage Monday afternoon, January 20, at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Ford, 1006 Hamilton Street, Rev. Mr. Ford officiating. The couple plan to continue their residence in this city.

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WRONG BIBLE CHAPTER, BUT MEANING CLEAR.

WE'RE NOT AN AUTHORITY for the statement, but the following story under a Fort Worth dateline, is given you exactly as we read it. It's interesting, to say the least, and we think you'll be interested. The heading of the story says: "It Was the Wrong Bible Chapter, but Meaning Was Clear." Says the story:

When one Fort Worth woman heard over the radio that President Roosevelt rested his hand on the family Bible opened at First Corinthians, 13th chapter, to take his oath, she rushed for her Bible. In haste she mistakenly opened it to Second Corinthians, 13th chapter. It read: "This is the third time I am coming to you. . .in the mouth of two or three witnesses shall every word be established. . .I told you before, and I foretell you now. . ."

ANCIENT BIBLE USED IN TEXAS INAUGURAL.

ALL OF WHICH REMINDS us that the ancient Supreme Court of Texas, kept in the tribunal's double-lock safe for state occasions, was brought out today for the inauguration of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel and Lieutenant-Governor Coke Stevenson. Its pages brittle and brown with age, the small leather-bound volume is inscribed in what some believe the handwriting on the court's first chief justice, John Hemphill, as follows: "Supreme Court of the Republic of Texas, 184—(The last figure is obliterated by a torn page.) Where the Bible came from, what edition it was, who printed it, how old is it, who presented it to the court—these questions can be answered by no living man for they happened more than a century ago. It is a King James version Bible and may have been printed in England but no one ever has found other records concerning it. In taking the official oath, governors and lieutenant governors place their left hands on the Bible raising their right.

GOOD NEIGHBORS.

IT IS SURPRISING THE number of things about his home a man knows absolutely nothing. But he "learns" when his "better half" is confined with with illness. In normal times, the husband goes about the home from day to day in a matter of fact way, letting his "better half" attend to all the household duties, without paying much attention to the thousands of steps required daily by the one in charge of the home. But when the lady of the house becomes ill, he learns how little he really knows about his home, as he searches through every room for desired articles. But what we started out to talk about is good neighbors. While one always appreciates to the fullest extent the blessing of having good neighbors, yet one realizes more than ever their intrinsic value when illness comes. As soon as they learn of illness, in they come not once, or twice or three times, but dozens of times a day, inquiring as to one's condition, fixing tempting and choicy articles of food to tempt the appetite, helping keep the home as neat as possible and doing innumerable other things, as they put into every-day practice the spirit of the Golden Rule. All of which brings us to this realization, that without good friends, life really doesn't amount to much. Without friends, all the wealth and material possessions in the world mean nothing. The neighbors, subject of this paragraph, know our sincere appreciation of them, but we just couldn't let today's column go by without a personal word of praise for some of the finest folks in the world.

GOT THE FLU.

"REST IN BED, GOOD NURSing are best treatment for flu." Thus reads a heading in a contemporary. The story explains that rest in bed and good nursing care are the two most important things in the medical treatment of epidemic influenza. This is the information of the American Medical Association, and is considered timely, particularly when there's so much flu and colds going the rounds. Emphasizing that the modern treatment of epidemic "flu" must still concern itself with symptoms, rather than causes, the Journal gave this advice: "The patient should be put to bed as early as possible after onset of the disease and kept there until convalescence is well established. The object of good nursing care is to promote the comfort of the patient and to preserve his strength. The diet during the acute stage should be liquid, should be given at frequent intervals and should not exceed 3,000 cubic centimeters (about three quarts) per day. Headache and body pains are combated by judicious and restricted use of analgesics (pain-relieving drugs) and sedatives, among which salicylates and codeine are probably the most useful. The irritating cough is treated by keeping the air of the sick room moist, by inhalation of compound tincture of benzoin in steam and by expectorant and sedative drugs."

PROF. WALDRON W. COOLEY.

OUR OFFICE RECEIVED A welcome visit Saturday afternoon from our good friend, Prof. Waldron W. Cooley, Superintendent of the Melissa School. As you perhaps know, a brand new school is being built at that progressive North Collin community, which will be the pride not only of Melissa, but of the entire county when completed. Melissa is deserving of this splendid school structure and we join with their many other friends in extending congratulations on this new building.

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Miss Chandler Becomes Bride Of Sgt. Thompson

MRS. KENNETH W. THOMPSON

Attended by their friends from Texas, Miss Evelyn Chandler of McKinney and Sergeant Kenneth W. Thompson were married in a beautifully simple ceremony at the home of Chaplain Cooper at Wheeler Field, Hawaii, at 5:30 o'clock, Dec. 24.

The bride wore white sharkskin with all white accessories. Replacing the usual bridal corsage, she wore two white ginger leis. Her attendants wore one white lei.

Atttending the couple were Sergeant and Mrs. Doyle C. Strickland and Sergeant and Mrs. Charles Guthrie.

The ring ceremony was used. Chaplain Cooper, officiating minister, from San Antonio, was a friend of the bride and groom in Texas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chandler, of Allen. She is a graduate of Frisco High and attended Hall's Business School of McKinney. She was formerly employed at the courthouse.

Mr. Thompson, the groom, is a member of 86th Observation Squadron, Wheeler Field, Territory of Hawaii. He is the son of Mr. E. D. Thompson of Long Beach, California.

Following the ceremony open house was held at the home of a squadron member. Sergeant and Mrs. Thompson were guests of the squadron for Christmas dinner, and spent the holidays sightseeing about the island.

Miss Chandler and Miss Ruth Cooper, now Mrs. Doyle C. Strickland, left McKinney for Hawaii Oct. 21, arriving at the island Oct. 30. Miss Cooper and Sergeant Strickland were married Oct. 31. Miss Chandler making her home with them until her marriage in December.

Miss Chandler is a popular member of the younger set of McKinney and Collin County, being well known throughout the West part of the county and in McKinney where she had lived for several years.

A number of entertainments at Wheeler Field have been given in honor of the young couple since their marriage, friends and squadron members presenting them with numerous gifts.

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FRISCO GIRL BRIDE VAN ALSTYNE MAN.

Announcement was at Van Alstyne of the ma in Oklahoma last June 5 ssel Douglas of Van Alstyne liss Alleen Carter of Frisco and Mrs. Paris Jay of Wayne attended the wedding. Jay is a sister of the bride. Douglas, a daughter of and Mrs. Charles Carter of co, attended school at Friend Lubbock. Mr. Douglas, s of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford an Alstyne, was a member he 1938 graduating class fran Alstyne high school.

Mr. Douglas is employat the Hartley bakery here.

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DOROTHY HARDIN, ENNIS HUFFSTEADLER ARE MARRIED.

Friends in McKinney wepily surprised this week tn of the marriage of Miss hy Hardin and Ennis L. Huff, both of Sherman. The ag was solemnized in Madilla, January 13, and was anad in this city Monday.

The bride is the daughf W. L. Hardin of Plainviewe formerly resided in Mcly, being associated with themment Beauty Shop, but for past three years has beeng in Sherman, where she ops Jack's Beauty Shop. She a sister of Mrs. Jack Warof this city.

Mr. Huffstedler is the sf Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hufstef Celina, being reared in thisty. He holds a responsible pn with the Frisco Railway pany in Sherman.

The happy young couplee a multitude of friends herd elsewhere, who wish them h happiness in their wedded l

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GEORGE FOX McKINNEY'D MISS SUE BEATRICE TAYLOR MARRY.

A wedding of interest to Kinney, was that of Misse Beatrice Taylor of Houston George Fox McKinney, h was selemnized Saturday noon at 2:30 o'clock in Da

The wedding took place te home of Mr. and Mrs. r McKinney, parents of the g, at 4845 Swiss Avenue. Rev. Daugherty, Pastor of the tville Avenue Christian Ch performed the ring ceremo

The fireplace in the livingm was banked with greenery ad chrysanthemums forming ely scene for the bridal par

Miss Taylor was atten by Miss Martha Baker, whilohn Edgar McKinney was histher's best man.

The bride wore a lovelying ensemble in a rose shadeith brown accessories. Her ving corsage was fashioned oink carnations.

Miss Baker was gowne a becoming frock of blue, ith which she wore black acories. Her flowers were whitarnations.

Following the wedding, reception was given and refh ments served. Mr. and Mrs. fc Kinney left for a wedding trt South Texas and Mexico and, on their return, will be at ha in Houston.

George Fox McKinney w born and reared in McKinne being from two of the olde families in the County, the F and McKinney families. He is t grandson of Johnny McKinney this city and also of the late M and Mrs. George Fox.

He has a fine position wif Southern Steamship Company Houston.

Mrs. McKinney is the daug ter of Mrs. R. P. Jones of Hou ton and is a young lady charming personality. She is popular member of the scoi set in Houston.

Those attending the weddin from McKinney were: Mr. John ny McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Ar bie Sparlin, aunt and uncle o the groom, and Mrs. Richard Bass his cousin.

The many McKinney friend wish George Fox and his brid much happiness and success.

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Rebekah Lodge Installs Officers

The McKinney Rebekah Lodge No. 85 met in regular session Friday afternoon, at which time newly-elected officers installed as follows:

Clara Meador, Noble Grand.
Hattie Johnson, Vice Grand.
Irene Melton, Treasurer.
Helen Cox, Secretary.
Lilly Airhart, Chaplain.
Reba Gentles, Warder.
Cherrie Hughes, Conductor.
Nettie Hollandworth, R. S. N. G.
Ary Coffman, L. S. N. G.
Madie Francis, I. S. G.

Mrs. Irene Melton was elected representative to Grand Lodge to meet in Dallas, March 17 to 19.

Dr. R. E. Morrow, who ha been a patient in the City Hospital for several days, was removed to his home Wednesday. He resides on Route 2, McKinney.

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Jack Bolton of Trenton, N. has returned home after a visi here with Mrs. Alfred Allen, Mrs Lucille Herndon and other friends Mr. Bolton formerly resided i McKinney.

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Mrs. Frank Blalock of Greenville, formerly of McKinney, died at her home Monday. Mrs. Blalock will be remembered here as Miss Linnie Brooks. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in Greenville.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.

Hon. Tom Suggs, Judge.
Jim C. Cantrell, Clerk.
Mrs. Scott Abernathy, Deputy.
Roland W. Boyd, County Attorney.
Dwight Whitwell, Assistant.
Mrs. Allie Jacobs, Assistant.

Court Convened Monday.

The January term of District court convened Monday morning for a seven weeks' session, with Judge Tom Suggs of Denison, presiding; Jim Cantrell, clerk, at his desk; court reporter, James M. Muse at his post, and Court Bailiff Euel Ford waiting on the court.

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Grand Jury Empanelled.

Judge Suggs empanelled the grand jury as follows:

R. G. Martin, Celina, foreman.
Clifford Carpenter, Farmersville.
Ed S. Dowell, McKinney.
George Jones, McKinney.
C. A. Mantooth, Princeton.
W. B. Luscomb, Anna.
Sam Lane, Frisco.
Edd Crockett, Prosper.
C. W. Fouche, Plano.
W. O. Johnson, Anna Route 2.
J. W. McIver, Copeville.
John W. Thornton, Anna, Route 1.

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Grand Jury at Work.

After District Clerk Jim Cantrell administered the oath to the grand jurors, they entered at once into their duties, assisted by County Attorney Roland Boyd and his assistants, Dwight Whitwell and Mrs. Allie Jacobs.

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The Bailiffs.

The constables of the various Justice Precincts were appointed riding bailiffs as follows:

W. A. Kerby, Precinct No. 1, McKinney.
J. A. Bowden, Precinct No. 2, Farmersville.
J. F. Bradshaw, Precinct No. 3, Anna.
I. B. Burleson, Precinct No. 4, Celina.
C. M. Coffey, Precinct No. 5, Plano.
R. R. Raines, Precinct No. 6, Frisco.
R. L. Stevenson, recinct No. 7, Josephine.
Charlie C. Akin, Precinct No. 8, Blue Ridge.
T. A. Porter of McKinney was appointed door bailiff.

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Attorneys Present.

Among the court officials and attorneys seen in the court room during the morning were: Judge Tom Suggs and his stenographer, Miss Jackie Hughes; Court Stenographer Jas. M. Muse, County Attorney Roland W. Boyd and his assistants, Dwight Whitwell and Mrs. Allie Jacobs; District Clerk Jim Cantrell and his assistant, Mrs. Scott Abernathy; Sheriff W. E. Button and County Judge J. E. Abernathy, W. P. Abernathy, Grover Burton, J. D. Cottrell, H. L. Davis, W. C. Dowdy, Clyde Doyle, J. Frank Harrington, Wallace Hughston, Floyd Harry, E. W. Merritt, H. C. Miller, R. L. Moulden, Mort Muse, J. W. McCullough, H. H. Neilson, John Reese, L. J. Truett, Luther Truett, Jr., and others.

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Appearance Docket Called.

The appearance docket was called Tuesday morning by Judge Suggs, and the cases set for the seven weeks of court as follows:

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First Week, Jaunary 20.

Civil jury on special setting.
Monday, January 20, 9 a. m.—Organization of the grand jury; 10 a. m.—Call of the civil docket.
Specially set for jury trial—Dallas Joint Stock Land Bank vs. Stone.
Tuesday, January 21, 10 a. m. Call of appearance docket. Also pre-trial hearings for jury cases set for January 27.

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Second Week, Feb. 3.

Criminal jury setting.
Saturday, February 8 — Pre-trial hearings on jury cases set for February 17.

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Fourth Week, Feb. 10.

Criminal jury setting.
Saturday, February 15—Pre-trial hearings for jury cases for February 24.

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Fifth Week, Feb. 17.

Civil jury setting.
Friday, February 21—Pre-trial hearings on jury cases set for March 3.
(Saturday, February 22—National holiday.)

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Sixth Week, Feb 24.

Civil jury setting.
Monday, February 24, 9 a. m.—Grand Jury meets.

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Seventh Week, March 3.

Civil or criminal setting.
Non jury cases may be set on Thursday of any week; and any other time by agreement.
Cases will be set any time after regular calls of the dockets by agreement, or on demand with ten days' notice to the adverse party.
Civil jury cases can be set for Wednesday or any criminal week, subject to the criminal setting.
There will be a jury for the last week of the term (March 3) to be used if necessary.
Dilatory pleas, exceptions, etc., are heard at pre-trial hearings the second Saturday preceding the trial date; and if not then presented, will be considered waived. Amendments must be filed three clear days before trial date; otherwise, trial or continuance will be at the option of the adverse party.

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Civil Assignment.

Week of Jan. 20—Non-Jury.

W. T. Rawleigh Co. vs. J. M. Hightower (pre-trial)—Jan. 24.

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Week of Jan. 27—Non-Jury.

McKinney Production Credit vs. H. T. Shipman, et ux—Jan. 27.
S. F. Kerr, et al, vs. Mrs. Chas. Cunningham, et al—Jan. 27.
Agnes Menko Leeper, et al, vs. W. A. Canon—Jan. 31.
Mrs. Menko Leeper, et al, vs. H. A. Pendleton—Jan 31.

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Week of Feb. 3—Criminal Jury (Civil Jury Cases).

Hunter T. Farrell vs. Walter B. Barkley, et al—Feb. 5.

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(Non-Jury Cases).

J. T. Elliott Lumber Co. vs. Blanc Huffman—Feb. 6.
John D. Reese vs. Charles E. Daniel—Feb. 6.
L. C. Rominger vs. Wilcox Lumber Co. —Feb. 7.

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(Hearing on Plea of Abatement Only).

Perry Mugg vs. Edna Mugg (alimony hearing)—Feb. 8.

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Saturday, Feb. 8.

Pre-trial hearings on jury cases for Feb. 17.

Week of Feb. 10—Criminal Jury

State of Texas vs. Johnie Mae Robinson (special venire)—Feb 12.

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(Civil Jury Cases)

L. H. Dunn, et ux, vs. F. W. Woolworth Co—Feb. 12.

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Saturday, Feb. 15.

Pre-trial hearings on jury cases for Feb. 24.

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Week of Feb. 17—Civil Jury (Non-Jury Cases)

J. E. Abernathy, Exr., et al, vs. H. E. Ottenhouse, et al—Feb. 17.

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Friday, Feb. 21.

Pre-trial hearings on jury cases for March 3.

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Saturday, Feb. 22—National Holiday—Week of Feb. 24—Civil Jury

Dallas Jt. Stk. Ld. Bk. vs. Clayton A. Stone, et al—Feb. 24.
Harry S. Thomas vs. Fred Shirley—Feb. 24.
Whitesboro Nat'l Bank vs. Mrs. Huffaker, et al—Feb. 24.

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(Special Venire Case)

State of Texas vs. Mary Lee Johnson—Feb. 26.

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(Non-Jury Civil Cases)

Betty Louise McDuff vs. John E. Rhea—Feb. 24.
W. T. Rawleigh Co. vs. J. M. Hightower, et al—Feb. 27.
Phoebe Nixon vs. George Pier—Feb. 27.
Franklin Life Ins. Co. vs. J. P. Coffey, et al—Feb. 28.

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Week of March 3 — Civil or Criminal Jury—Grand Jury—Civil Jury Cases)

In the matter of Est. of J. C. Kirkwood, deceased—March 3.
Walter L. Jones vs. New York Casualty Co—March 3.

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(Civil Non-Jury Case)

Perry Mugg vs. Edna Mugg—March 3.

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Divorces Granted.

Velma Vaughan vs. Roy Vaughan.
Sudie Bell Hall vs. James Hallie Wilcoxson.

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New Suits.

Moxie Goodson Roach, vs. James E. Roach, divorce.
Wayne Young vs. Billie Dot Young, divorce.
Ex-Parte Lonnie Hiliman, removal of minor disabilities.
Cora Rodgers vs. Jess Rodgers, divorce.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Hon. Jewel E. Abernathy, Judge.
W. C. Hagy, Clerk.
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E. A. Gladden Is Called By Death At Celina Home

E. A. Gladden, for more than fifty years a resident of Collin County, died at his home on Celina at 5:10 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. He had been in feeble health for sometime.

Mr. Gladden was 82 years old. He is survived by two sons, Bailey Gladden of Enid, Okla.; John Gladden of Tom Ball, and a daughter, Mrs. Boles, of California, and several other relatives.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning in Celina, with burial in the Cottage Hill Cemetery.

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NEW FACES SEEN AROUND WESTON.

Mrs. J. L. Mell and Miss Ruby Ivy have moved from the Chambersville community to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Wilson and family have moved to a farm near Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Derryberry and family have moved from Sherman to a farm near Roland.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hayes have purchased the farm recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Flannery and have moved to it.

Charles Haynes of Van Alstyne bought the place vacated by Marvin Hayes.

J. W. Shields and family have moved from Allen to a farm at Cottage Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson have moved from Cottage Hill to Aubrey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sprauling of Plano bought the Charles Cawthon farm north of town and have moved to it.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Epps of Paris, Texas, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stogdill.

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Mrs. Weldon A. Reed, Route 3, McKinney, returned to her home Sunday, following several days' illness in the City Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Perkins and son, Jon, of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins here.

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Probate.

B. W. Caldwell has made application to probate will of Mrs. S. J. Wright, deceased.

Mary A. Gallagher has been appointed temporary administrator of estate of Vincent B. Gallagher, deceased. Bond set at $1,000. Bond and oath approved.

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Marriage License.

Willie W. Forte and Viola Gautney.
L. J. Williams (col.) and Angeline McNeill.
Calvin Douglass and Lorene Allsbrook.
Robert Lee James and Ruby Mae Oliver.
James M. Ivy and Mrs. Faye Bryant.

JUSTICE COURT

Hon. Clyde Dovle, J. P.
W. A. Kerby, Constable.
Floyd Williams, Deputy.

The constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week:

Two for drunkenness.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

W. E. Button, Sheriff.
Dan Rike.
Roy Hays.
A. G. Sparlin.
Deputies.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests during the past week:

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Wednesday and Thursday—
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Friday and Saturday—
"ROBINHOOD OF PECOS"
Roy Rogers
Chapter 11—
"ADVENTURES OF RED RYDER"

Sat. Midnight, Sun. and Mon.—
"RANGERS OF FORTUNE"
Fred MacMurray and Patricia Morrison

Tuesday and Wednesday—
"FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS"
Weaver Bros. and Elvirey

Thursday—
"DR. CYCLOPS"
Albert Dekker and Janice Logan

A baby girl weighing 8 pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robt. W. Lentz, 1309 North Oak Street, Tuesday morning, Jan. 21, at 11:55 o'clock. The baby has been named Mary Etta after her grandmothers, Mrs. Mary Frances Lentz and Mrs. Etta Lytle, both of this city. The Mother is the former Miss Almeta Lytle. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

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FIFTY-SEVENTH YEAR — McKINNEY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1941. SECOND SECTION — ESTABLISHED FEBRUARY 7, 1884

Committees Of Dads Club To Launch Drive

The membership drive committee, named by Dad's Club President C. Hansford Ray, have postponed their city-wide canvassing for new members Monday, due to the illness of President Ray. A new date for the drive will be set and announced later, by Mr. Ray.

The Membership Committees named by the President are as follows:

Leo Spillman and Jack Warden, North Side Square, North Kentucky and North Tennessee Streets.

W. G. Proctor and G. D. Ledbetter, West Side of Square, West Virginia and West Louisiana Streets.

Roy Roberts and Fred Hicks, South Side Square, South Kentucky and South Tennessee Streets.

W. L. Glazener and W. Phil Wolford, East Side Square and East Virginia Street.

O. L. Hope and Herman White, East Louisiana Street.

T. E. Riggs and Bradley Hoover, Industrial District.

Jim Cantrell and Clyde Cunningham, courthouse.

Ernest Wilson, Post Office.

Morris Wallis and Swede McMurry, Schools.

Officers.

Officers of the Dads Club for 1941 are: C. H. Ray, President, W. C. Dowdy, First Vice President; Earl Slaughter, Second Vict President; J. T. (Doc) Rollins, Secretary; W. L. Glazener, Treasurer.

The first Director's meeting will be held Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at Ray & Roberts Company office.

Directors.

New Directors of the organization are Dr. L. E. Hoard, Jim P. Thomas, A. T. Kever, C. H. Ray, and Gibson Caldwell.

Hold-over Directors are; J. E. Abernathy, H. S. Ware, T. E. Riggs, H. H. Standley, Loren King, W. P. Abernathy, W. C. Dowdy, Don O Davis, Dwight Whitwell, and W. L. Glazener.

Obsequies Held Here Tuesday For John B. Hill

Funeral services were held this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for John B. Hill at the home of the deceased, 605 North College Street, Dr. Clifford S. Weaver and Rev. Wm. J. Petter conducting.

Mr. Hill, 63 years old at the time of his death, was born in Collin County, Sept. 27, 1877, the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hill. He had been a lifelong resident of McKinney, being an active member of a number of civic organizations throughout his lifetime. He was a charter member of the McKinney Volunteer Fire Department and a charter member of the Elks Lodge. He was a member of the First Christian Church of this city.

His wife, the former Miss Frances Franklin Brooke, survives.

Mr. Hill succumbed to a heart ailment with which he had been suffering two months. He died at his home here.

Interment was made in Pecan Grove Cemetery, Crouch Funeral Home directing.

The deceased is survived by his son, Jack C. Hill, of Tyler; a daughter, Laurin P. Marlow, of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. C. A. Houston of Dallas, and Mrs. M. S. Metz, of McKinney; and three grandchildren, Daisy Jane and Judith Brooke Hill and Laurin P. Marlow, Jr.

Pallbearers were: J. H. Snopp, Don O. Davis, Richard Bass, Add G. Wilson, A. M. Scott, W. B. Mitchell, Weeden Franklin, Arthur Church, N. A. Burton, and Joe Anderson.

His host of friends were named honorary pallbearers.

Workmen Remove East Line Tracks

Workmen are removing tracks over the old East Line route of the L. R. & N., which operated from McKinney to Farmersville, until several months ago when the line was abandoned. The abandonment, which was granted by the I. C. C. in Washington, marks the end of the line that once connected McKinney with Shreveport, La., and other coastal towns.

Little Suzanne Neely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Neely, is celebrting her fourth birthday today. Her little friends Jill McMurray and Shirley Ann Jackson are having lunch with her and helping to enjoy the birthday cake and other good things.

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Leslie Frair of Weston son of Mr. and Mrs. Whit Frair, of Weston is reported improving from burns on his leg received Thursday when kerosene which he spilled on his clothes was ignited. Another son, Marvin Ray, is just recovering from a serious illness.

Able Address Of Rev. Patton To Graduates

Following is the able Baccalaureate address given the McKinney High mid-term graduating class Sunday night at the High School Auditorium by Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church:

"Young ladies and gentlemen, the honored graduates of McKinney High School, and friends. Joshua was dividing Cannan among the tribes of Israel. The choice plains and fertile valley had been received by certain of the tribes as an inheritance. But for one old mountain there had been no takers. Nobody wanted it because it was rough and rugged and non-productive. A tribe of giants were barricaded in walled cities about its steep cliffs. These giants were dreaded sons of Anak, who were savage, defiant and who terrified all the people who lived for miles around. It would seem foolish and absurd for any sober person to want that sort of place for his inheritance. One old gentleman stepped out of the crowd and said to Joshua, "Give me this mountain." It was promptly given to him, giants and all. They went with the mountain, they always do. This old gentleman was a familiar figure, for this was Caleb, whose heroic efforts to help Israel were well known.

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Rare Qualities.

"Caleb means capable. He lived up to this name. He was rare composite of faith, courage, patience and holiness. Those qualities incarnated in man always make masters. Men of this character deal with mountains and not mole-hills.

"Caleb was a mountain-tpye man. In character, and by native equipment, he was suited to the rigors of conquest. His faith in God was like a mighty pyramid, whose peaks towered toward the sky. On another day he stood and plead with a fearful and faithless crowd, "We are able to possess it." That courage was so tempered with goodness as to make of him a natural leader of men. So here at the age of 85 he comes forth and asks to be assigned the most difficult task that the moment suggested, insisting, "I am as strong as when Moses sent me." The quiet patience of this man Caleb was faith founded upon God. Faith may often be intermittent, but Godliness is eternal. This man was restless now and would be until the giants, with their bloody warcries, had been silenced. They were silenced. This mountain of giants became the mountain of Judges, and the hub of an imperishable civilization. It became the land of Boaz and Ruth, where David sang the familiar melodies, where Solomon dedicated the Temple. The height from which John heralded the news of a coming King, and the point from which this King, as Prince Immanuel, set out to ransom a world. Looking down through the valley of the years, our darkened eyes now see the wisdom of Caleb's choice. "God's promises are sure, he gains the prize who can the most endure, who faces issues and never shirks, who waits, watches and always works."

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Honest Toil Open Door To Greatness.

"Honest toil is the open door to greatness. It is a human weakness to seek an easy bearing route to success. One must struggle if he would climb to the heights from which the best view of things may be had. We usually get what we deserve rather than what we desire. The universe is grouped naturally into giants and dwarfs, workers, shirkers, heroes and cravens.

"The easy roads are crowded,
And the level roads are jammed:
The pleasant little rivers
With the drifting folks are crammed;
But off yonder where it's rocky,
Where you get a better view,
You will find the ranks are thinning
And the travelers are few.

Where the going's smooth and pleasant,
You will always find the throng
For the many (more's the pity)
Seem to like to drift along;
But the steps that call for courage,
And the task that's hard to do,
In the end results in glory
For the never failing few."

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Courage And Self-Control.

"Mountains have always been a source of endless inspiration Many of the ancients worshiped them with their pure and healing water. The light and refreshing air they are the coveted home of dreamers and idealists. But to ascend those dizzy heights takes struggle, sacrifice and persistence. Faith in character are necessary in scaling the far heights of all mountain top values. "It takes a little courage and a little self-control and some grim determination if you want to reach a goal." A tiny flower, the Blue Bell, lives under the ice and snow of Scotland. The marvel of its existence is that it has within itself the power to generate sufficient heat as to melt its way through to the sunshine. Mr. Riley offered, as a key to his success ,the rubber on the end of his pencil. Grey's Elegy, which is perfect from every literary standard, required seven years to write. Aristotle was the famous teacher of Alexander the Great, but he had studied for twenty years with Plato before he could qualify. Seaman tell us, "The rougher the sea, the stronger the sailor."

The Mother of Napoleon, when he was a little lad, gave him a map of Corsica. With a fit of temper he threw it aside and said, "Give me a map of the world." In other years he marched at the front of an army and came to the foothills of the Alps. A soldier said we can go no farther, to which Napoleon replied, "The Alps! What are the Alps to me? We shall either march over or tunnel through them." Napoleon. Caesar, Alexander the Great had faith, courage and endurance, but that is not enough. By every moral standard they suffered the ignomy of failure. They lacked character, which is the very salt of life to enduring power.

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Character.

History says, "That Caleb wholly followed the Lord," and in doing so his Character was severely tested. Life will subject your integrity and character to every known test. If you remain true you will win. God grant that you may die ere you lose your honor. Character is like asbestos. The more it is used the more valuable it becomes. Or like the dog-wood shuttles in the great looms, which increases in Value as it travels with the speed of light over many thousands of miles. "He that endureth to the end shall be saved." "Be thou faithful unto death and I will give you a crown of life."

"Character is like radium, giving off constant light and heat. One ounce of radium has the inherent power to lift ten thousand tons a mile high. We believe you, dear friends, are more powerful and valuable than a world of radium. We urge you to make sure of victory by, "Putting on the whole armor of God."

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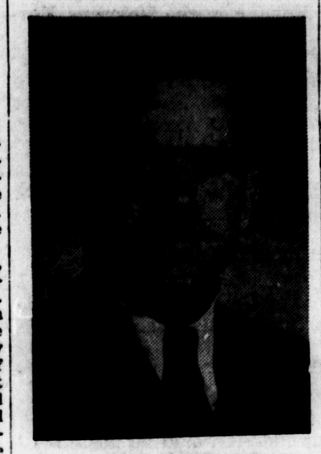
Everlasting Character.

"The world's method of everlasting character is by "True discount and present worth." The prize is already yours if you can qualify. Our present world needs men and women who have character and conviction and who dare to face difficulties. The world is ready to pay a high premium for those who are prepared to work with God in finding lifes high destinies. There is a highway and a lowway, you know;

"For the high soul climbs the highway
And in between on the misty flats,
The rest drift to and fro.
But to every man there openeth
A highway and a low,
And every man decideth
The way his soul shall go."

To Greenville



V. C. (Chuck) HITCHCOCK

All of V. C. (Chuck) Hitchcock's friends will be very sorry to learn that the Gas company will send him to Greenville about the first. He has been with the Community Natural Gas Company here for several years. Chuck is well-liked by everybody, is a good worker and it's a promotion that he is getting by moving. He owns his home in McKinney and is a civic, town builder. The Junior Chamber of Commerce, appreciating his good work for the city, voted him in 1939 the most outstanding young business man. We are glad that Chuck is not going to move too far, as sometimes his McKinney friends might get hungry and go over to see him.

Mrs. Steve Noble and children, Stephen and Dana Lee, are visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Daniel.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tillerson are at the bedside of their daughter, Miss Naomi Tillerson, who is in a Dallas Hospital following an appendix operation.

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J. H. Sneed, former McKinney resident was a business visitor in McKinney Saturday, being accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mary Ruth Sneed, Miss Mary Batson of Dallas and Mrs. J. A. Snider of Brady. Mrs. Snider visited in the homes of Revs. A. H. and Ben Snider while here. Miss Mary Ruth, who formerly taught in McKinney Public Schools is now teaching in the Cumberland Hill School in Dallas.

Funeral Is Held In Washington For Collin Native

Funeral services were held in Washington, D. C., Tuesday for Brigadier General Carl Rogers Darnall, 74, who died Saturday in a Washington hospital. His death followed that of his wife by only a few days, her funeral services being held last Wedensday.

Both Brigadier General Darnall and his wife were buried in Arlington Cemetery.

The deceased was a brother of Mrs. George P. Brown, member of the McKinney Public School faculty, and of George Darnall and John Darnall of the Cottage Hill community, in Northwest Collin. Other survivors are two brothers, Dr. M. H. Darnall of Washington, D. C., and Rev. W. D. Darnall of Hogoton, Kansas. Three sons survive: Major Joseph Rogers Darnall, Medical Corps of the U. S. Army, stationed in Washington, D. C.; William Majors Darnall, of Chicago, and Capt. Robert Darnall, Army Medical Corps, Washington, D. C.

General Darnall was born in the Cottage Hill community in Northwest Collin, December 25, 1867, graduating from Jefferson Medical College in 1890 with the degree of M. D. and from the army medical school in 1897. He entered the military service Oct. 27, 1896 as a surgeon and was made a Captain and surgeon Oct. 26, 1901. He became a Colonel in the medical corps May 15, 1917.

His first service was with the Twenty-Third Infantry at Fort Clark, Texas. In 1900 he was on duty at United States Military Hospital No. 1. Havana, Cuba. From May, 1900, to April, 1901, he served as operating surgeon and pathologist on the hospital ship Relief and at military hospital, Iloili, Philippine Islands, which he commanded from May, 1901, until May, 1902. In June, 1902, he returned to the United States and was on duty at Plattsburg barracks, New York, until August of that year.

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On Duty in Washington.

From September, 1902, until June, 1903, he was on duty in the office of the Surgeon General, Washington, during which time he was a member of the board to examine candidates for appointment to the medical corps. From June, 1903, until 1913, he was on duty at the army medical school serving as secretary of the faculty, instructor in sanitary chemistry and operative surgery. During that period he was in charge of the medical supply depot, Washington, recorder and member of the army examining board, and recorder and member of the joint board of army and navy medical oficers and adjutant of the army medical school.

Colonel Darnall served in the Philippine institutions from April, 1914, until July, 1916, on duty at department hospital Manilla, and at the medical supply depot, Manila.

Returning to the United States in August, 1916, he served in the office of the Surgeon General as executive officer until Nov. 30, 1922. He was transferred to Hawaii where he served as department surgeon until August, 1925, when he was ordered to duty in the office of the Surgeon General, where he has since served as executive officer.

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Awarded Service Medal.

Colonel Darnall was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal with the following citation:

"For exceptionally meritorious service. He has rendered especially meritorious and distinguished service in organizing, developing and administering the supply division of the medical department and it is due to his foresight and ability that new sources of medical supplies were developed in this county so that adequate quantities of material were always available for use with the sick and wounded of the army."

Tuberculosis Diagnostic Unit To Visit Collin

The Traveling Tuberculosis Diagnostic Unit from the Texas State Department of Health will visit Collin County Thursday January 23 and Friday January 24. Diagnostic Clinics will be held at the McKinney-Collin County Health Unit all day Thursday at the City Hall. A clinic will be held in Farmersville Friday at the American Legion Hall.

Patients, suspects and contacts of tuberculosis cases will be x-rayed at these clinics. All cases will be referred by the local physicians of the county, and all reports will go to the physician who sends the patient. The Unit comes to the county as a part of the Tuberculosis Program of the Collin County Health Unit and is sponsored by the Collin County Medical Society.

Mrs. T. C. Martin and Billie Martin spent the week-end in Mineral Wells, with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. E. Hightower.

Funeral Held For Mrs. Ida Hooks Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Ida Hooks, 63, who died at the home of her son, Frank Hooks, 1407 West Louisiana Street, Thursday morning at 7:45 o'clock, were held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the Harris Funeral Home Chapel, Dr. R. A. Clifton in charge. Funeral arrangements were directed by Harris Funeral Home, interment being made in Pecan Grove Cemetery.

Mrs. Hooks had been ill with pneumonia only two days prior to her death.

Born May 10, 1876, in Alabama, she had been a resident of Texas since she was nine years old. She had been a McKinney resident since 1921 with the exception of four and half years spent in South Texas.

The deceased was a member of the Baptist Church.

One son, Frank Hooks, survives. Four grandchildren also survive; Mrs. Nora Mae Godwin, Laredo, Texas; Frances, Geraldine, and Marilyn Hooks, at home.

Preceding her in death were her husband, Frank Hooks.

Pallbearers were Claude Dobbins, Sam Payne, Hansford Ray Allen Dowlen, Roy Raper, and Pierce England.

Blue Ridge And Plano Lead In Girls' Cage League

Prof. Roy James, Director of the Collin County Girls Class A Basketball League, announces the following team ratings for all League members, based on games played through Friday night, Jan. 17:

TEAM	Won	Lost	Pct.
Blue Ridge	5	0	1.000
Plano	5	0	1.000
McKinney	4	1	.800
Princeton	4	1	.800
Wylie	2	3	.400
Frisco	0	5	.000
Anna	0	5	.000
Celina	0	5	.000

Collin County girls' teams in A, B, C, and Junior High School Leagues will each declare a winner at the end of the current round robin season, after which the winners will play for the county championship.

If the winning team is a member of the Texas High School Basketball Association, its members are eligible to play in the district meet, of which Mr. James also has charge. Plano won the district meet last year, entering the State meet at Waco and placing third there.

Red Heads Win Princeton Game Monday Night

The All-American Red Heads maintained their unusual record, of defeating boys, and men's cage teams by winning from a team of Collin boys and men, 28-to-25, Monday night, January 20, in the Princeton High School Gymnasium. Composing the team in opposition to the Red Heads were: Everett, Textile Mill, McKinney; Miller, Scott, Reeves, of McKinney; Jack Murray, of Allen; Press of Blue Ridge; Pinkerton of Westminster; "Blue" Woody, Owen Randles, R. L. Barrett, and E. L. Gantt, all of Princeton.

Six hundred spectators saw the much-publicized game.

Also played at Princeton Monday night was a cage game between Princeton and Westminster High School boys' teams. Princeton won, 38-to-6.

County Treasurer, J. K. P. Shrader informs us that he was in Dallas Sunday to see his brother-in-law, Joe B. Rogers, who is critically ill. Mr. Rogers was County Treasurer of Collin County, while residing here, and has many old-time friends here, who regret to hear of his illness. Mr. Rogers lives with his daughter, Miss Pauline Rogers, at 4421 Glenwood Street in Dallas.

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Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, Pastor of the North McKinney Baptist Church, returned home Monday night from Tyler, where he was called several days ago to attended the bedside of his Mother, Mrs. F. M. Bradshaw, who has been ill with the flu. His Mother is now 83 years of age. She was some better when he left Monday, he informs us.

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Funeral services for Nick B. Rolator, 71, who passed away at his home on Murphy Thursday, were held at the First Methodist Church in Garland Saturday at 10 a. m. Reverend Mr. Kindle of Murphy and the local pastor, the Rev. R. H. Boyd, officiated. Interment was in the K. of P. Cemetery. Mr. Rolator was born in Alabama, and was the son of the late Ed Rolator of Garland. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Henrietta Axe Rolator, four daughters and son.

To Address Graduates

L. D. ROBINSON

"Gone With The Wind" Will Be Shown At Ritz

Manager Roy L. Brockman of the Ritz and Texas Theaters says that the famous film, "Gone With The Wind," will return to the Ritz Theater early next month for a three-day showing in this city. Feb. 6, 7, and 8 are dates the film will be here. The picture was here last year, when it played to large houses at the Ritz at road show prices. However, popular prices will prevail at the forthcoming showing, matinee prices being 25 and 40 cents, and night prices being 55 cents straight.

Manager Brockman expects three showings of the film daily during its second McKinney run, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, February 6, 7, and 8, with one show during the morning. The full length picture will be flashed on the screen, running for approximately four hours.

Great interest centers around the film's return to McKinney, with many of those who already have seen it, planning to see it a second and a third time.

Only Few Days Left To Pay Your Taxes

Eight days remain in which Collin County citizens may pay their taxes without being assessed a penalty. Taxes must be paid by Friday midnight, Jan. 31. On that date the Tax Assessor-Collector's office will remain open until 12 o'clock midnight for the benefit of taxpayers. Tax Assessor-Collector Clint Lewis urges all citizens who have not paid their taxes to do so now, eliminating the last-minute rush and confusion when lines must be formed and taxpayers forced to wait outside the office for their turn. Beginning Feb. 1, the penalty will be levied.

Approximately 65 percent of the current state and county taxes have been paid, says Mr. Lewis, and 3,525 poll taxes have been recorded. However, in election years about 12,500 poll taxes are paid, he says. It is to be seen that a vast number of poll taxes are outstanding at the present, since all citizens of Texas between the ages of 21 and 60 and with taxable property must pay the poll tax.

1,096 Attend Rural Electric Co-Op Meeting

A total of 1,096 members of the Grayson-Collin Rural Electric Association thronged Van Alstyne recently for a barbecue, free picture show and business meeting. Added attraction was an electrical display.

Farmers began arriving early and stayed the entire day.

The Board of Directors was re-elected, including J. Thomas Robinson of Celina, C. C. Carruth of Weston, E. C. Winn of Dorchester, P. H. Luby of Tom Bean and H. H. Sears of Whitewright. The board will meet there Tuesday, Feb. 4, to elect officers.

C. M. Wells, of Bay City, is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. B. Faulkner, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Faulkner. Mr. Wells celebrated his eighty-fifth birthday Monday, Jan. 20.

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The young married couple's class of the Baptist church at Anna gave a house warming and shower Wednesday night in their new home Mrs. Glenn Baldwin, class president, presented a gift from the class to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Powell, members who recently moved to Sherman. Refreshments were served to 16 guests including Mrs. W. G. Strother, teacher of the class.

McKinney Seniors Are Preparing For Commencement

Graduating Seniors are celebrating the triumph of the most momentous event of their public school career this week. During the five days termed Senior Week, the highlights of the social season are focused on them briefly. Climaxing Senior Week will be the Commencement exercise Friday night, January 24, at the High School Auditorium.

Music for the graduation program has been arranged by Miss Mary Joe Hamilton, faculty member and herself a graduate of the McKinney Schools. Opening the Commencement program will be the song, "O Pray For Peace," sung by the class.

Rev. Earl J. Patton will deliver the invocation, after which L. D. Robinson will present the Commencement Address.

Mr. Robinson is the proprietor of the Robinson Furniture Company and is a former Principal of the McKinney High School.

Diplomas will be presented by E. L. Kissinger, of the Collin County National Bank. Mr. Kissinger is the father of one of the mid-term graduates.

C. M. Duvall, one of the class sponsors and a member of the High School faculty, will present the honors, following the presentation of diplomas.

The class, accompanied by Hugh Kirkpatrick, will sing their class song, after which Rev. Patton will deliver the benediction.

All students of the city high schools began their final examinations this week. The graduating Seniors completed their examinations last Friday. The new school term begins Monday, January 27.

Sanitation Course A. & M. College To Begin Soon

Arrangements have been perfected at Texas A. & M. College, the State Department of Health cooperating, for the holding of a course on sanitation which is designed not only for the municipalities of Texas but which will also include special problems in sanitation created in the cities adjoining military reservations.

This course will begin on February 10 and last for a period of twelve weeks. It is open to men with high school education or its equivalent, and will be limited to a total enrollment of forty. Tuition charges will be defrayed by funds available from the Bureau of Education of the Federal Government as a national defense measure. The only expenses will be for room and board which will be about $25.00 per month, meals to be taken at the college mess hall and rooms to be obtained at a college dormitory.

The course will include items of water, sewerage, plumbing, refuse collection and disposal, food and milk sanitation, mosquito and rodent control, sanitary inspection procedure and field tests.

Since the enrollment is limited, it is suggested that all who are interested file their applications at the earliest possible moment with Professor E. W. Steel, Department of Municipal and Sanitary Engineering, Texas A. & M. College, College Station, Texas.

Directors And Officers Celina Bank Selected

Stockholders of the First State Bank of Celina at their annual meeting Tuesday re-elected the members of the board that had served through 1940, as follows; Dr. J. S. Colling Chairman; C. E. Johnson, Lee B. Newsom, Tom Glendenning, T. J. McAdams, Jessie L. Doyle, and W. E. Seitz.

Officers and other employes, who served through the past year, were re-elected at a meeting of the newly-elected Directors which immediately followed the stockholders' meeting. They are as follows: C. B. Johnson, President; W. E. Seitz, Vice President; Lee B. Newsom, Cashier; Mrs. Roy Nelson, Bookkeeper.

Martin Vance of Panhadle, Texas, was a recent guest of W. L. (Lee) Lovelady and family in this city. Mr. Vance is a son of J. C. Vance, former Collin County citizen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom B. Wilson have returned from an extended visit to Mrs. Wilson's family, Dr. and Mrs. Vaughan, of Waskom, Texas. Tommy Wilson, Jr. remained with his Grandmother for an additional vacation.

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Mrs. R. A. Furr received a wire Monday, stating that her sister, Mrs. Grover Moritz, the former Grace Rice, is ill with flu and pneumonia at her home in Bofard, Missouri. Mrs. Furr is leaving Monday evening to attend her sister's bedside. Mrs. Moritz is also the sister of Mrs. Otis Nelson and the daughter of Mrs. Rosa Wilson, of this city.

Important Events In Lives Roosevelt And Wallace

President Roosevelt.

Milestones in the life of Franklin D. Roosevelt:

1882—Born Jan. 30 at Hyde Park, N. Y.

1900—Entered Harvard University.

1905—Married March 17 to Eleanor Roosevelt, a distant cousin.

1907—Admitted to bar and practiced law in New York City.

1910—Elected to New York senate; re-elected two years later.

1913—Appointed assistant secretary of navy.

1920—Nominated for vice president on Democratic ticket with James M. Cox.

1921—Stricken with infantile paralysis.

1928—Elected governor of New York.

1930—Re-elected governor.

1932—Defeated Herbert Hoover for presidency.

1933—Put through broad legislative program, including banking and monetary laws, AAA, NRA, CCC and prohibition repeal.

1936—Re-elected with majority votes of forty-six states.

1937—Aroused nation-wide controversy by calling for "new blood" in Supreme Court; later had opportunity to appoint five justices.

1938—Appealed to Hitler and Mussolini to keep peace.

1939—After peace appeals failed and European war began, put United States on limited emergency basis.

1940—Re-elected as first president to win third term; put vast defense program into operation.

1941—Advocated sweeping program to aid Great Britain.

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Vice President Wallace.

Milestones in the life of Henry Agard Wallace, new Vice President:

1888—Born Oct. 7 on an Adair County, Iowa, farm.

1910—Graduated from Iowa State College.

Began experiments on higher yielding strains of corn.

1914—Married Miss Ilo Browne of Indianola, Ia.

1915—Devised and published the first corn-hog chart to indicate the probable course of their markets.

1929—Became editor of Wallace's Farmer and Iowa Homesteader, farm magazine, founded by his grandfather.

1933—Appointed secretary of agriculture and helped draft crop control legislation.

1936—Farm programs were upset by Supreme Court decision invalidating portions of the AAA act; new legislation was enacted.

1940—Elected vice president; went to Mexico City as special envoy for inauguration of new Mexican president.

Dunn Memorial Scene Of Fourth Sunday Singing

The Fourth Sunday Singing Convention will meet Sunday afternoon, January 26, at 2 o'clock at Dunn Memorial Church, East of McKinney, announces R. F. Williams, of McKinney, President of the Collin County Singing Convention. Many singers from this and other North Texas Counties have been invited to attend.

A large attendance of singers and lovers of good music met at the Blue Ridge Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, for a joint meeting of the County Line and the Southeast Collin Singing Association, with Mr. Neal, President of the latter singing group in charge. Many singers were present from McKinney and other sections of the county.

Demonstrations On Culling

County Agent Jack McCullough will conduct culling demonstrations at 4-H Clubs at the following places: Snowhill, Tuesday morning, Jan. 21; Pike, Tuesday afternoon; Bloomdale, Wednesday, Jan. 22. Agent McCullough states the public is cordially invited to attend these demonstrations.

Billy Frank Brown, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown, 504 North College Street, is celebrating his birthday Tuesday. We extend birthday greetings to our little friend.

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R. Fitzhugh Newsome, outstanding young McKinney business man who has been taking the "rest cure" per the advice of his physician, for some three weeks, was up town Tuesday. All his friends are glad to see him.

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C. H. Ray, well-known and liked McKinney insurance man, has been confined to his home for several days with illness. His multitude of friends have been missing him downtown and hope to see him up and out again soon.

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Editorial Expression

It is not the mere station of life that stamps the value on us, but the manner in which we act our part.—Schiller.

Today's busiest propagandists are German and Italian parents excusing the dictators for not getting Santa Claus through the blockade.—Longview Journal.

Friendship is to be purchased only by friendship. A man may have authority over others, but he can never have their heart but by giving his own.—Thomas Wilson.

Yes! in the poor man's garden grow
Far more than herbs and flowers,
Kind thoughts, contentment, peace of mind,
And joy for weary hours.—Mary Howitt.

What makes a great thought is when a thing is said which reveals a great number of others, and which enables us to discover suddenly that for which we could not hope except after long study.—Montesquieu.

Oh, the hearth is the heart of the home today, as it has been and always will be, and though we may wander thousands of miles over mountain, plain or sea, the fireside circle surrounding the hearth, that is truly the heart of the home, will unfold us and draw us back into its glow, regardless of where we may roam.—Osborne.

YOUNG MEN AND RELIGION.

The General Committee on Army and Navy Chaplains have urged President Roosevelt to create a "National Commission on the spiritual life of American service men" to meet what was described as "a religious crisis unparalleled in American History." The Committee, headed by Dr. Rufus W. Weaver, is affiliated with more than twenty Protestant denominations.

During the next five years, the Committee asserted, "at least one-half of America's young manhood" will have been "uprooted" from normal civilian occupations and taken into the army, CCC camps, or defense equipment factories.

"Thoughtful men are convinced," the committee's statement added, "that unless this crisis be successfully met, the consequences will affect organized religion in ways which will prove to be most disastrous.

"If our civilization is to be saved, the religious faith of America's young manhood must be preserved."

The Committee suggested that the President head the proposed Commission.

THE BURMA ROAD.

Despite the enormous amount of talk about the Burma Road, China's lifeline, which was recently reopened by the British, little information about its character and the nature of the country it crosses has been published, says the Frisco Journal.

Burma is about the size of Texas, with a population almost three times as large. The road crossing it was built principally by Chinese coolie labor, and much of the country is rough and mountainous.

This makes the road particularly hard to bomb. The two vital bridges over the Mekong and Salween Rivers are at the bottom of gorges 4,000 feet deep. Naturally this is disconcerting to Japanese pilots who seek to drop their cargoes of destruction at these points.

The road starts at Rangood, a port situated 21 miles up the muddy Irrawaddy River. Because of the silt, it is impossible to keep a channel clear that is navigable by ships that draw more than 27 feet, so larger ships transfer their cargoes at the mouth of the river delta. The harbor in Rangood is large enough for many ships and there are wharfage and storage facilities to handle a heavy volume of trade. The city is connected by water and rail with the rest of Burma.

The actual route is from Rangood to Wangtin, on the Yunnan border, a distance of 732 miles. From there to Kunming is 598 miles. The first part of the journey is through rich, level rice country, with villages, pagodas and rice mills dotted along the road. From Mandalay, where the road turns eastward, the road enters mountainous country, covered with teak forests and inhabited largely by hill tribes.

When China is reached, the highway winds up mountain sides as high as 8,000 feet, and then descends into deep valleys. There are eight large cities along the route that service the 1,600 trucks engaged in transporting materials to the Chinese forces. At the present time 544 bridges and passes are complete, putting the road in excellent shape.

At present only about 10,000 tons of material can be transported per month, but it is possible to increase this to 20,000, and eventually even 30,000 tons. The cost is great, more than one dollar Chinese currency per pound. The problem is getting suficient gasoline to strategic points is great, and some men in the Chinese air force believe it can be transported cheaper to Chungking by air than along the Burma Road.

Free speech is reasonable. Very few are worth paying for.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

If millions of others, all over the world, were just like me, would we have peace and joy?—Arthur Platt White.

Italians blame their poor showing against the Greeks to bad timing. At least, then, they are not an army of clock watchers.—Hot Springs New Era.

With young men from North, East, West, and South drawn together in training camps, America really is going to get acquainted.—Ft. Smith Times-Record.

We note that the day of the mutt dog in Belgium is over. Dog food, and other food as well, is so scarce that unpedigreed dogs are denied rations. A Brussels dispatch reminds us that the Belgian kennel club intervened to have ration cards issued for pedigreed dogs. Immediately there was a scramble of many owners to prove their own pets were pedigreed. Dog experts examined many, saved some, rejected others.

Great Britain's war effort is costing $48,000,000 a day, we are told by Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr. He informed the House Foreign Affairs Committee that about $20,000,000, or 40 per cent, is raised through taxes and the remainder by borrowing. He read off a comparative list of income tax figures showing that in England a married man with a $5000 income would pay $1496 in income taxes compared with around $75 in the United States. An Englishman with a $100,000 income would pay $76,000, while an American would pay $43,000.

Grover Loening, pioneer aircraft producer, said Wednesday night that more than 100,000 armed American troops could be flown overnight, non-stop from the United States to Brazil by a fleet of 1,000 of the new giant planes ordered for the Army. "The giant new plane ordered by the Army, the B-19," he said, "can carry up to 125 armed troops with complete equipment 3,000 miles nonstop. With planes of this type it would be possible to concentrate ten Army divisions in Florida and transfer them to points on the Brazilian coast 3,000 miles away with a fleet of 1,000 in about 15 hours—well over 100,000 troops spirited from this country for the protection of a neighbor overnight."

ROOSEVELT IN FINE PHYSICIAL SHAPE.

Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, White House physician, has said that President Roosevelt will ride down Pennsylvania Avenue Monday, inauguaration day, "in fine physical shape" to face the ordeals of the third term.

As the time draws near for the Chief Executive to take the oath, Admiral McIntire has given a confident diagnosis of the President's health.

"Quite naturally," Dr. McIntire said, "President Roosevelt is just eight years older than he was eight years ago. Every test at my disposal, however, indicates he is in fine physical shape.

"In recent years, particularly the last 12 months, he has been pushed pretty hard. But the President has truly amazing comeback powers. The terrific strain of his office may cut him down occasionally, but all he needs is a couple of days' rest at Hyde Park or Warm Springs and he bounces right back."

DELIVER THE GOODS.

If you were going to enlarge your business, would you advertise it in a hotel register?

If you were going to have a wedding in your family, would you get out a handbill?

You would send such items to the newspaper, wouldn't you?

Then why don't you put your advertisements in a newspaper?

The newspaper helps build your town. Why not help the newspaper? There is no better advertisement in the world for a town than a good newspaper full of advertising, and we will show you a good town, full of live merchants.

Newspapers are town builders, town advertisers, fortune makers, news disseminators, sermon deliverers, prosperity forecasters. They are a necessity, not a luxury. They must be maintained. Without them we would retrograde to the medieval days.

Don't patronize them from a charitable standpoint. Patronize them because they deliver the goods—that is, if they are the right kind.

Cut out the foolishness and work for the upbuilding of your town, and start by upbuilding your newspaper.—Augusta (Kans.) Gazette.

RED CROSS.

Five-year-old Axel Gorm Anderson is back from Europe after a visit to Norway prolonged a year and a half by the war. Axel, an American citizen, was visiting relatives in Trondheim when the German invasion began. His parents tried for months to get him back to this country. Red tape and transportation difficulties stood in his way. Finally in desperation Axel's parents turned to the Red Cross. With a Red Cross tag about his neck, Axel reached Berlin and eventually Lisbon. He arrived at New York aboard the S. S. Siboney.—McKinney Daily Courier-Gazette.

The Red Cross is respected throughout the world. Even in Berlin, it seems, the neo-pagans have a regard for the insignia of the world-wide charity. It now appears that the American Red Cross is to be allowed to feed some of the starving people of war-stricken Europe. Spain, exhausted after the end of its civil war, is suffering the effects of malnutrition. It is not a rich country at best. Unoccupied France is to receive help. It is believed that Herr Hitler's army will not confiscate the materials sent to lands it does not occupy. That is the reason why the Red Cross is to contribute nothing to occupied France. The gifts would not reach the intended beneficiaries, it is believed. The need in all Europe is dire. War has stripped that Continent down to the bones. By marauding the overrun countries the Nazis have added to their stores, and are prepared to face the remainder of the winter with confidence in that direction. Yet even the Nazis will begin suffering and blaming somebody next winter. Narrowly rationed now, they may be much worse off, for no country can produce even average crops when a state of war exists in it and all around it.—State Press in Dallas News.

You'll always find it in McKinney, for less.

If spirit wills, the heart need not grow old; we live by thought and feeling, not by days.—L. Mitchell Hodges.

Judge Felix D. Robertson, 70, long prominent in politics and the Texas judiciary, died Monday in the Veterans Hospital at Lisbon, near Dallas.

Trust in the Lord with all thy heart, and lean not unto thine own understanding.—Proverbs 3-5. The same heart beats in every human breast.—Matthew Arnold.

New and hold-over county officials are settling down to a busy year's work over at the courthouse. They're a fine group of public servants, of whom the entire county is justly proud.

Adolf Hitler picks Herr Goering as the world's No. 1 man. What that does to the rest of the scale makes it pretty tough on a lot of people in this world.—Marshall News-Messenger.

This game of checkers can get fairly rough at times. At Baltimore, Md., Joseph Potterfield, 8, was kept home from school when his parents decided it would be unsafe to venture onto the icy streets. So Joseph started a quiet checker game with his brother. Came an exciting moment, his chair tipped over, and Joseph fell and broke his arm.

El Paso news sources reveal that the Rio Grande through its several tributaries deposits five tons of salt into the Gulf of Mexico every minute, according to a survey by engineers of the international boundary commission. That's a lot of salt and reminds us that in a single day the river deposits the equivalent of 1,420 five-ton truckloads of salt into the Gulf. Largest single contributor of sale to the Rio Grande is the Pecos River of West Texas.

Two well-known explorers and authors, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Lamb, started out this week from Santa Ana, California, to find the "Lost City" in the unexplored Central American mountains. After a series of conditioning hikes, they reported themselves "in fine trim" and said they would leave by train for Colima, Mexico, there to hike 1,500 miles South, along the Mexican West Coast, to Tonala, Chiapas, Mexico, and then inland into the Northern section of Guatemala. The effort to find the "Lost City," which has been sighted several times from the air, but never reached by land, they said, might take "anywhere from six months to two years."

THE WORKER.

It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbled or where the doer of deeds could have done better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena; whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who strives valiantly; who errs and comes short again and again, because there is no effort without error and short-coming; who does actually strive to do the deeds; who knows the great enthusiasms, the great devotions, spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumphs of high achievement; and who, at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who know neither victory nor defeat.—Theodore Roosevelt.

STATE HIGHWAY PATROL'S BIRTHDAY.

Observing the eleventh anniversary of the state highway patrol, State Police Director Homer Garrison credited the 234-member body with a big role in saving thousands of lives in recent years.

Despite an increase in traffic fatalities in 1940, an estimated 1,000 lives were saved, Mr. Garrison concluded. His statement is based on the 1935 traffic death rate of 16.59 for each 100,000,000 miles of auto travel which, if continued, would have taken a toll of 2,687 persons last year instead of an indicated 1,733.

"I greatly acknowledge the splendid efforts of engineers, educators, safety organizations and all others who have worked to achieve traffic safety," Mr. Garrison said.

"Yet only a beginning has been made, and the years ahead will require still greater collaborative efforts for the attainment of this common goal."

The patrol operated until 1937 with a personnel of 126. In 1937 it was boosted to 251 but was reduced to 234 last year. The Public Safety Department will ask the Legislature for 200 additional men on the theory that "visible enforcement" will reduce the road death rate, which rose from 10.41 per 100,000,000 miles to 10.83 when the force was reduced.

"HAS MAN REALLY BEEN IN PROGRESS UP FROM SAVAGERY?"

"Only within the past century has it become the fashion to say, 'Of course progress is real,'" declares Will Durant, famous philosopher and author, in the Rotarian Magazine. "In the midst of the wealth and power of the 19th Century, some of the wisest of men raised a question mark over the idea of progress."

William Morris—inventor of the Morris chair—John Ruskin and Tolstoy were among those who questioned if the accumulation of comfort and wealth were really progress as long as men suffered from poverty and ill nourishment. "An increase in mechanisms is not necessarily progress," Author Durant points out. "Science is but a committee on ways and means, and it is always reporting progress, but the human heart is the committee on resolutions and platforms. It decides what we shall want to do with these tremendous instrumentalities, and it is always humbly reporting that it has the same basic desires it had 50,000 years ago."

Yet Philosopher Durant believes that man has made ten important steps; ten steps which once made were never lost. These are: The Coming of Speech, The Conquest of the Animal, The Conquest of Fire and Light, The Coming of Agriculture, The Coming of Social Organization, The Coming of Mortality, The Development of the Esthetic Sense, The Development of Science, The Coming of Means of Communication, and, last, Education.

These steps, Dr. Durant declares, are the basic ones that even war and hunger have not been able to abolish. One by one, from the coming of speech to the development of systems for handing knowledge on to the next generation, they have meant the progress of man from a jungle beast to whatever he may be today. These are the signs of real progress.

"Do I have no doubts for the future?" writes Dr. Durant. "Yes. Certainly, we shall pass through misery and terror. But I envy our children."

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(January 15, 1916.)

Hogue Coffman was visiting in McKinney, last evening, from Melissa.

Prof. C. T. Cobb of Frisco was a business visitor in McKinney today.

E. Barnes and Miss Stella Friear, a well-known young couple, living in the Chambliss community, were wedded one day recently, at Melissa, Justice of the Peace P. F. Loftice, officiating.

L. M. Robinson of Cumby, Texas, was in McKinney, this morning, en route to Melissa to visit friends. He is a brother of Alvin Robinson, who died, at Milford, a few weeks ago.

J. P. Fields of Waxahachie and son, W. C. Fields, of the Wilmeth School community, were business callers at our office today. J. P. is the owner of the old R. A. McLarry farm, north of town.

Rev. Joseph McNew, the newly called pastor of the Farmersville Baptist Church, has arrived with his wife and baby in that city from Texarkana. He is a native of Arkansas and is a graduate of Ouachita College, Baylor and Fort Worth Seminary.

(January 17, 1916.)

Glen Stiff, a good roads contractor, went to Hillsboro, this morning to attend to business. He will also visit at Sulphur Springs before returning home.

News conveying the sad intelligence of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen D. Hynds, at Atlanta, Georgia, was received this morning by Mrs. J. H. Merritt of this city.

On Wednesday evening of this week, Peter MacQueen, the distinguished war correspondent will present his thrilling lecture, "The War of the Nations" at the High School auditorium.

Capt. J. A. Benton of the Burrus Rifles states that the members of his company will have drill practice every night, beginning tonight for a period of two weeks with the exception of Sunday nights.

Mrs. Lillian Brady of Alpine, Texas, sends her subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. She is a native of Collin County, being a daughter of Dr. J. B. Wright, a charter subscriber of our weekly.

Alma Wilson of Princeton has just closed and had deeded to him three hundred acres of as good land as almost any crow ever flew over, a few miles north of Celina, just over the line in Grayson County.

(January 17, 1916.)

L. R. Lair of Prosper was in the city today and made an appreciated call at this office. Mr. Lair states that he will be a candidate for District Clerk.

C. M. Wells and daughter, Miss Vick, of Prosper, came over Saturday to attend the bedside of his mother, Mrs. E. P. Wells. Mr. Wells returned home today. Miss Wells will remain here for several days yet.

W. S. Coffey and daughter, Mrs. W. S. Walker and family and son, Sales Coffey, who is visiting here from Paducah, Texas, were guests at the home of Prof. and Mrs. W. J. Ledbetter in the Winningkoff community.

Prof. John McMurray, Principal of the Midway School, on Route 2, Farmersville, was in McKinney Saturday afternoon en route to Melissa to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McMurray.

A meeting was held in McKinney Saturday by the County Executive Committee of the Collin County Interscholastic League and set the date for holding the annual meet. The dates selected were, March 31 and April 1—two days.

Mrs. Dr. G. A. Wall, Tulsa, Oklahoma, is visiting McKinney relatives for a few days. Mrs. Wall was formerly Miss Sallie Stiff and was reared in McKinney. She is a sister of Messrs. Price, Glen, Clint, Oil and Jack Stiff and Mrs. L. L. Elliott, all of this city.

(January 19, 1916.)

W. P. Lane, former State Comptroller, who is seriously ill at his home, in Fort Worth, is reported to be improved. He has many friends in McKinney.

Dixie Watkins, Walter Cockrell and J. W. McClucky have bought out Joe Burger's garage on North Tennessee Street, and the place in the future will be known as the Standard Garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Martin of Dallas are spending a few days in McKinney, the guests of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Martin, just east of Melissa.

C. I. Talkington, President, and S. Kissinger, Secretary, announce that Local Union No. 1361, Carpenters and Joiners of America will hold an open meeting tonight at their hall.

Rev. C. W. Dennis, Presiding Elder, came in last evening from Dallas. He held three quarterly Conferences, since leaving home Saturday, at Anna, Celina and Prosper.

Everything is now in readiness for the Collin County Textile Show which begins Thursday morning and continues over Friday. The Textile Show will be held in the Auditorium of of the Business Men's Association.

(January 20, 1916.)

Dr. J. E. Hunter, who has been suffering for the past several days of rheumatism has gone to Marlin, Texas, for a few days' recuperation.

Deputy Sheriff Jim Kimbriel went to Princeton Wednesday afternoon and arrested Ben Springer, whom he brought back to McKinney and placed in jail. Springer is wanted, at Marlin, for forgery.

Jack Womble, a well known young man of the Verona community was accidentally shot in the foot Wednesday by a companion while they were on a hunt. Three toes had to be amputated.

Rev. John L. Wallace of Fort Worth and Miss Jessie Florence Carter were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Foote Baptist Church, Dr. E. E. King of McKinney performing the ceremony.

The Collin County Textile Show opened auspiciously this morning in the auditorium of the Business Men's Association. The articles on display, both textile and culinary, are remarkable and interesting. Large crowds are anticipated.

W. E. Bowen, one of Collin County's best citizens, who resides at Culleoka was attending to business in the Collin County metropolis and shaking hands with friends today. He is being solicited by his friends to make the race for Commissioner from Precinct No. 2.

(January 21, 1916.)

Ed Blakeman, city officer, made four arrests Thursday night, two for drunkenness and two for affray.

Mrs. Oglesby and daughter, Mrs. Henry Leigh, of Melissa, were visiting in McKinney today and attended the Tetxile Show.

Nevil Talkington is back at his work in the Continental bank after a severe attack of la grippe, which laid him up for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. John Robinson and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fox Robinson, at Woodlawn, were in McKinney today en route to their home, at Ennis.

W. Donald, who has been with these papers for about fifteen years has resigned his position with these papers and has bought the Princeton News and will edit that splendid paper in the future.

At the regular weekly meeting of Empire Lodge No. 68, I. O. O. F., held Thursday night, officers were installed into their respective stations. R. H. Kerr is N. G., D. L. Dunn, V. G. and Roy Marcom, Secretary. Trustees are: George Wilcox, F. B. Pope and J. L. Franklin.

Lucas Community Man Passes Away At City Hospital

Will M. Anderson, 63, died at the City Hospital Friday morning at 9:45 o'clock, following an illness of two months. He had been a patient at the hospital since Wednesday.

Mr. Anderson, a native and lifelong resident of Collin County and the Lucas community, was born March 3, 1877, being 63 years, 10 months, and 14 days old at the time of his death. He was the son of Sylvester and Sue (Skelton) Anderson, who were both natives of Collin County. He was a member of the Lucas Christian Church and the Woodmen of the World.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Forest Grove Church, six miles South of McKinney, Dr. C. S. Weaver of McKinney, and Rev. W. A. Welch, of Fort Worth, directing. Interment will be in Fitzhugh Cemetery, Massie Funeral Home in charge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Allie Cook Anderson, of Lucas; one sister, Mrs. Bess W. Smith, and a brother, Frank Anderson, both of St. Paul Community, near Wylie.

Numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

Pallbearers will be: Walter and Erwin Snider, Bob and Tom Atkinson, Frank and Chick Goforth, E. B. Moore, Johnny Akers.

The deceased was a prominent South Collin farmer, landowner, and stockman.

Virginia Williams, attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ortie Williams is all at her home on Louisiana Street. Her many friends hope she will soon be well.

Draft Call No. 4 Received By Local Boards

Draft call No. 4 has been received by the local Draft Boards, according to Secretaries H. H. Neilson and Uia Saunders. On Feb. 7 Draft Board No. 2, under the Secretaryship of Mr. Saunders, must supply six white men, Draft Board No. 1, headed by Mr. Neilson, receiving a call for eight white men.

On Jan. 28, Board No. 1 sends 29 white men to Dallas, nearest induction center, and Board No. 2 sends 19 white men. All are volunteers. Mr. Neilson and Mr. Saunders express the hope enough volunteers will register to fill the Feb. 7 call.

Four colored youths left this morning (Saturday) from the local boards, answering Dreft Call No. 2. All were volunteers. Their departure was preceded by a program, arranged and directed by Prof. E. E. Doty (Col.), Principal of the McKinney Colored School.

The four colored boys thus honored were: Alfred Brown and James Woodrow Wilson, of McKinney; Joseph Miniefee, of Plano, and John Henry Stevens, of Celina.

A number of patriotic songs were led by A. W. Watley (Col.), Hon. Wallace Hughston, Prof. W. S. Smith, and Jno. D. Reese each addressed the assembly of friends and well-wishers attending the 8 o'clock program.

16th Birthday Saturday Of Ted And Fred Eubanks

Ted and Fred Eubanks, twin sons of Mrs. A. H. Eubanks and the late Mr. Eubanks, are celebrating their sixteenth birthday Saturday. The occasion is also the birthday anniversary of their uncle, George Eubanks of this city, former Sheriff of Collin County. In honor of the occasion, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart and son, James, are giving a family dining at their home on North Church Street, at which Mr. and Mrs. George Eubanks and sons, Dan and Keith, and Mrs. A. H. Eubanks, and Ted and Fred will be guests.

All of these celebrants have lived in this county practically all of their lives. The twins were born at Mexia, but were brought to McKinney when they were eight months old and have resided here since. They are members of the Junior Class in Boyd High School and among the most popular students there, taking part in all campus activities. Mr. Eubanks and Ted and Fred Eubanks are all receiving congratulations and felicitations today upon this happy occasion.

16-Year-Old Twin Sons Observing Birthday Today

Birthday greetings are being extended to Greer and McCarty Dowell, twin sons of Mrs. McCarty Dowell, and the late Mr. Dowell who today (Saturday) reached their sixteenth birthday. These lads were born in McKinney, and are grandsons of Mrs. J. C. Greer and the late Mr. and Mrs. Willis Dowell. Both are students in the Boyd High School, being quite popular with their classmates and teachers and have a multitude of friends beside, who join in extending hearty congratulations to them upon reaching their sixteenth birthday and wish for them many more such happy events.

PAUL AND JIM WILSON HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Paul and Jim Wilson, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson, 418 West Louisiana Street, were honored with a party on their tenth birthday, Friday, Jan. 17, their Mother entertaining. A number of young friends of the honor guests were present. Birthday cake was served, and the honor guests were recipients of many nice gifts.

Officials Local Chamber Attend Ft. Worth Meet

Thos. Johnson, President, and W. Hammond Moore, Secretary of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce, visited in Fort Worth Thursday night, where they attended the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, held at the Texas Hotel. The principal speaker was W. J. Cameron, Vice President of the Ford Motor Company. Approximately 1,000 attended the event. The McKinney Chamber officials report a most enjoyable meeting.

Fire of unknown origin destroyed the old W. W. Ingram home-place about two miles East of Murphy Wednesday afternoon. The house was built by Mr. Ingram about forty-five years ago and was his homeplace for many years. It was later sold to Mrs. J. K. Sachse and had been used as a rent house for some time.

Texas Senator Again Speaks For Prohibition

Senator Morris Sheppard, Democrat, of Texas, author of the nation-wide prohibition amendment and a staunch leader of the prohibition forces in the United States, Thursday, the twenty-first anniversary of the birth of national prohibition—nullified seven years ago—delivered a stirring address in the Senate in which he condemned alcoholic beverages and pleaded for a return of prohibition.

Senator Sheppard a few days ago introduced his resolution proposing a prohibition amendment, as he has done at every session since repeal.

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Threat to Citizens.

"I condemn beaverage alcohol as a threat to the health, happiness and prosperity of our citizenship," he said. "I condemn it as a contributing factor in the premature death of hundreds of thousands of our people. I condemn it as a charge upon the public, intolerable in an era of strenuous effort toward national security and defense. I condemn it because as alcohol drinking democracy cannot develop the maximum strength for national defense."

With these words he closed his address, as the Senate and galleries applauded vigorously.

"Today I refrain the conviction I often have expressed concerning national prohibition, namely, that national prohibition is the most effective and practical means of protecting the American people, especially American youth, from the losses and tragedies of one of the principal social enemies of the republic—beverage alcohol," the Senator said.

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Year of Prosperity.

"The year 1940 was another year of continued prosperity and activity for the liquor industry. While millions of our people struggled against privation, want and misery; while America began to call forth its material resources to prepare against modern aggressors, and while American youth prepared to leave their homes and occupations to enter upon a period of preparation and training in defense of a civilization which they believe o be worth preserving, a golden stream of profits continued to pour into the coffers of the liquor industry as constantly as relegalized liquor poured incessantly out of its vats, its casks, its barrels and its bottles to undermine and cripple the human resources of this republic.

"This stream of liquor began to pour forth legally seven years ago after a lapse of thirteen years, during which its manufacture, sale and possession constituted an illegal activity under the Constitution. Since then it has risen to floodtide, threatening to deluge the nation and leaving in its wake a wreckage of human lives."

Navy Recruiting Station Opens Here Saturday

Opening Saturday morning, Jan. 18, a Navy recruiting station will be operated each ensuing Saturday morning for an indefinite period, according to an announcement by Navy recruiting officers at district headquarters in Dallas.

Eighteen young men from Collin County have enlisted for sevice in the Navy since July 1, 1940, and it is believed much expense and time will be saved for Collin County men with the establishment of a sub-recruiting station here. The men desiring to enlist can learn whether or not they are qualified for enlistment in the Navy.

Applications for enlistment will be accepted from men between the age of 17 and 31 years. Parents' consent is required for all under 21.

Applicants who are accepted will be sent to Dallas for enlistment and further transfer to the Naval Training Station at San Diego, California.

Joy-Makers E. L. Meet Postponed

Due to inclement weather the Tuesday night meeting of the Joy-Makers of the First Methodist Church at which Mrs. Clifford S. Weaver was to have spoken was postponed indefinitely. Several Union members, living in rural sections, found it impossible to attend, because of muddy roads. The meeting will be announced when it is possible for those members to attend.

Mrs. Laura Parris has been in ill health for the past several weeks, being confined to her bed most of the time. However, she is showing some improvement. Mrs. Parris is one of the city's most beloved women and for many years taught Sunday School classes in the First Baptist Church here. One of the young married women's classes of the church is named the Laura Parris class in her honor and have adopted her as the class mother. Mrs. Parris' multitude of friends are hopeful for her return to her usual good health again.

Lionesses Of McKinney Win Celina Game

The McKinney High Lionesses won their class A Conference game with Celina in the local gymnasium Friday night, 24-to-13.

The game was considered Celina's "home game," Celina receiving the gate receipts. Celina has no gymnasium at the present, and all the Celina "home" games will be handled in this manner. The Celina team will play a return game in the McKinney gymnasium, the gate receipts to be received by McKinney.

Lineup for the Lionesses Friday night included: Ruth McMillan, Ruth Russell, Margie Hosking; Forwards, Edith Mills, Margaret Coffey, Mary Copus, Guards, and Elga Higginbotham substituting at a guard position.

The Lionesses have lost only one game in the Class A Conference race to date.

Mrs. Nancy Jane Holder Dies At Home of Son

Mrs. Nancy Jane Holder, age 81 years, 4 months, 14 days, died Thursday evening, Jan. 15, at 7:58 o'clock at the home of her son, Martin L. Linderman, on Route 5, McKinney, near Wilson Chapel, following an illness of two weeks.

Mrs. Holder, who had lived here part of the time prior to 1899, was a continuous resident of this county since that date. She was born Sept. 2, 1859, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Finch. She was a native of Tennessee.

The deceased was a member of the Christian Church. She was preceded in death by her husband.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Wilson Chapel Church, Rev. Jno. L. Andrews of Dallas, in charge. Burial followed in the cemetery at that place. The Massie Funeral Home had charge of funeral arrangements.

Children who survive are: Martin L. Linderman, Jack N. Linderman, of Denison; Mrs. Emmit Honea, Mrs. Sam Smith, both of McKinney.

Surviving brothers are: Frank and James Finch of West Texas.

Pallbearers ere the following grandsons of the deceased: Don Pennington, Jack Linderman, John Gilbert, Jack Honea, John Tallant, Buldy Smith. Friends were honorary pallbearers.

McKinney Man's Brother Dies In Clovis, N. Mex.

T. E. Wright, Clovis, New Mexico, resident since 1916, died in a hospital there recently, following a week's illness. He was 60 years of age. The deceased was a brother of Carl Wright, of McKinney.

Mr. Wright passed away the last day of 1940. He had been an Elder in the Church for thirty years and had not missed church on Sunday for eleven years. He once lived at Wylie. He married Miss Ula Russell who survives. He is also survived by nine daughters, and one son, all of Clovis. Other survivors are his father, J. M. Wright, of Cross Plains, Texas, five brothers and two sisters.

His funeral services were held in Clovis at the Church of Christ, with the Minister, M. C. Cuthbertson, in charge, assisted by Lewis Cox and G. W. Mickey. Burial was made in the Cemetery at Clovis.

McKinney High Lions Defeat Sulphur Springs

The McKinney High Lions continued their victorious march through the cage season Friday night by defeating Sulphur Springs. The Lions' first team won 38-to-27, the second team 22-to-15, on the Sulphur Springs court. The Friday night encounter was a District 6 game, the Lions' victory entitling them to second place in the conference rating. Highland Park is first, Denton third.

The Lions' first team lineup for the Sulphur Springs game follows: Forwards, Hendricks, Orenduff; Center, Lafollette; Guards, Hall, Craft. Substitutes were: Hefiner, Browning.

Second team lineup included: Forwards, Proctor, Eubanks; Center, Haynes; Guards, Cook, Weeks. Substitutes were: Myrick and Carter.

Ed Tatum of Gainesville has been appointed Assistant Manager of Duke & Ayres Store of this city, beginning his duties Monday morning, Jan. 20. Mr. Tatum, whose home is in Gainesville, was employed as Assistant Manager of the Gainesville store. He went to work in September, there. Mr. Tatum received his education in the Gainesville Schools. He is making his home in McKinney. Paul Keeton is Manager of the McKinney Duke & Ayres Store.

Garden Club Members Enjoy Denton Visit

The McKinney Garden Club was well represented at the Garden School and Conference sponsored by the Texas Federation of Garden Clubs and Texas State College for Women, in Denton Thursday. The event was well advertised among all Garden Clubs in Texas and visitors from as far away as Houston, Austin, San Antonio, and Amarillo were noted.

McKinney Well Represented.

The local club members taking advantage of this out-of-the ordinary school were: Mrs. John Ferguson, Miss Pauline Hughes, Mesdames Margie Comegys, T. C. Martin, Lizzie Griffin, R. C. Heathington, T. S. Murphy, N. D. Ready, Walter Wiley, S. B. Day, C. T. Ritch, Willa Largent.

Transportation for twice this number was provided, and those who had attended previous schools were filled with regret that other local members did not go, because these annual schools are of the highest order and the information given out has been tested and proven by noted scientists in their particular fields. Aside from the joy and pleasures of greeting friends from many parts of the state, exchanging knowledge and exchanging plants, this instructive course is supplemented by luncheons, teas, and garden tours.

From Edward Baker, visitors learned by actual demonstration with many plants on the stage how to select shrubs, wisely, and have them serve specific purposes.

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Quality Plants.

Nurseries now are "on their toes" and alert to give fardeners quality plants, true to name and graded and priced according to demands.

J. F. Rosorough, of Texas A. & M. College told of new things being done in horticulture. The section on roses handled by Dr. Lyle and Ratsek enlightened all on the diseases of roses, their remedies, how to plant, size of plants to buy, how, when and what to plant.

Heretofore, growers have often been advised to prune and prune. Dr. Ratsek, a youthful and forceful speaker, said, "Don't prune other than to keep the bushes in pleasing shapes and siezes." Keep all dead weeds out and apray and water." Scientific reasons with colored slides were used throughout the lectures.

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Designing Gardens.

William Lanier Hunt's lecture on "Designing Gardens For The Heat and Drought for the Southwest" was hailed with delight. His list included many native plants. In another lecture he spoke with enthusiasm of the daylilies and bulbs for our section of the country. Particularly interesting was an address "Through The Big Bend" by Mrs. Louis J. Wardlow, Fort Worth. Visitors heard plans in the making to organize parties to tour this amazing part of our State in the near future.

The most beautiful and dazzling slides of flowers were shown by Jack Lamy through the sponsorship of the Gulf Oil Corporations. Included were The Cypress Garden and Magnolia Gardens of Alabama, Gardens of Florida, Cacti of Arizona Gardens of Mexico, wild flowers of Texas, and autumn in New England.

Still another outstanding lecture with slides was given by Arthur Berger from Ohio, "Adoption of Various Styles to Gardens of the Southwest" in which errors were shown and corrected. Used in the slides were familiar homes in Dallas and nearby towns. H. M. Russell, Spring, Texas, talked of the new day lilies and was eager to have everyone visit his nursery where he hybridizes and grows six hundred or more named day lilies besides acres of his own seedlings and plants, ranging in color from whites, creams, yellows, orange, apricot, tawny, pink as Radiance roses—through shades to purple as deep as purple Dawn Camellias.

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Enjoyable Day.

Soils and what they needed, water gardens and materials, tree planting, highway development and needs, good foods, obliging guides, eas, and are exhibits, friends, beauty galore, music and scientific knowledge on delightfully varied subjects made of this event one of the most enjoyable meetings for gardners North Texas has known.

President Defends Help-Britain Bill

President Roosevelt declared that many provisions in the British aid bill are designed solely to protect America in a world situation that is shifting every 24 hours. He indicated he has no disposition to revise any of those sections.

As for conjectures that certain provisions might enable him to purchase Britain's fleet in the event England falls to the Nazis, he said that was "cow jumped over the moon" speculation.

Miss Mary Bull of Woodlawn called by these offices, ordering the Weekly Democrat-Gazette sent to her sister, Miss Esther Bull, Grinnell, Iowa. Miss Esther Bull is a graduate nurse and technician. She is in charge of the laboratory of the community hospital at Grinnell.

Melissa Man Is Director Jersey Cattle Club

Joe C. Moore, of Melissa, noted Jersey Cattle raiser, who is President of the Collin County Pure Bred Livestock Association, has been notified of his election as a Director of the Texas Jersey Cattle Club. He was elected at the annual meeting of the organization, held January 8 and 9, at Wharton, Texas, said to be one of the most interesting and largely-attended in its history. Louis J. Marley, Secretary of the American Jersey Cattle Club, was a speaker.

D. T. Simon, Secretary of the Texas Jersey Cattle Club and Field Manager for the American Jersey Cattle Club, notified Mr. Moore of his election of this important post of duty, for a two year term. His election is an honor not only to Mr. Moore, but to the entire county, and this well-known Melissa Jersey cattle man is receiving congratulations from his host of friends throughout the State on the honor and recognition that has come to him and to Collin County.

J. Bryan Caldwell Dies At Nevada

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at Nevada, for J. Bryan Caldwell, 43, member of a pioneer Collin County family, who died Thursday at his home. The services were held at 2:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church of Nevada. Surviving are his widow, two sons, Billy Allen and Charles Caldwell; his mother, Mrs. Belle Caldwell; three sisters, Miss Laura Caldwell of Nevada, Mrs. D. L. James and Mrs. Burton Morgan four brothers, Clyde, Gene and Jim Caldwell, all of Dallas, and Fred Caldwell of Riverside, Cal.

Drugs, Drug Sundries, Fresh Candies, Fountain Drinks and Lunches at Gamble's. Phone 194.

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Ed Knight, living out on Route 2, dropped in to see us, ordering the Daily Courier-Gazette, for which we thank him. No finer family in the whole county than the Knights. Come in and see us often, friend Ed.

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Mrs. Retta Horn continues about the same at her home on North Church Street, where she has been ill for the past few weeks.

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John Maynor, living on one of Gibson Caldwell's good farms in the West part of the county, who has been a regular and valued reader of the Daily Courier-Gazette for a third of a century, comes in and renews his allegiance for another year. John is a real farmer and a fine man. We appreciate his long friendship and patronage.

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Mrs. W. H. Airhart of Blue Ridge called at this office Tuesday. She tells us the Stony Point and Brinlee Cemetery Association wishes to notify all members the total of the cemetery dues for the year has not been paid, and, since the Association wishes to present balanced books at the regular annual meeting May 1, those who have not paid their dues are requested to do so at once. Too, the Association is asking those interested in the new addition to the cemtery to set out evergreens there, beautifying the new land. Anyone who wishes to mail in their dues may address their correspondence to Lonnie Cordell, Route 1, Melissa, Texas. Mr. Cordell is secretary of the Association. Mr. W. H. Airhart of Blue Ridge is President.

Program By East Texas C. of C. To Aid Defense

A four-point program designed to co-ordinate East Texas agricultural progress with national defense needs during 1941 was outlined in a report by Bryan Blalock, General Agricultural Chairman of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, at Marshall.

Four major goals—soil building, forest conservation, increased efficiency of crop and live stock production and specific economic surveys were set up through the nine committees served by the chamber's agricultural and forestry department to seek to help increase East Texas agriculture's contribution to defense by supplying needed materials and fully developing agricultural resources.

In the report outlining 1941 aims, Mr. Blalock reviewed developments of the year just passed and stressed as significant the increase in amount and course of farm income, sound agricultural and livestock development and the spread of a wider friendly mutual working relationship between town and country during 1940.

"Farmers are producing a wider diversity of produce for home and for sale," he said. "Live stock has and is increasing logically in East Texas, but more emphasis must be given to dairy herd improvement. Pastures are continuously being improved. Farm market outlets are expanding. Conservation of soil, water and forest is uppermost in the minds of East Texans. Growing trees as a crop has become a reality.

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Insect Control Methods.

"Cotton insect control by methods recommended by Texas A. & M. College experiment station and extension service are paying dividends and their practice will be extended. East Texas cotton staple quality has improved to an extent above the average for the state. Chemurgy's application is being explored constantly to make it work equitably for producer, processor and consumer."

As an example of an important recent potential chemurgic development, Mr. Blalock cited the sweet potato dehydration research at North Texas State Teachers College which has received co-operation and support from a group of East Texas business men and from such industrial firms as Texas Power and Light Company and Freeport Sulphur Company as a part of their programs of agricultural research service.

The expression for and confidence in the agricultural work of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce by farmers as individuals and through their organizations was mentioned by Mr. Blalock as a source of satisfaction to the chamber.

"To stand ready to work at all times for improvement of conditions for our rural people is the purpose of the agricultural and forestry department of the regional chamber and the committees it serves, including general agriculture, livestock and pastures, forestry, cotton improvement, chemurgy, economic surveys, rural relations, soil conservation, and Latin American trade relations," Mr. Blalock said.

Bradley Hoover, Manager of the Paris Wholesale Grocer Company, was able to be at work Saturday after a week's illness.

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Mary Ellen Standley, attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Standley, continues to improve from an appendicitis operation.

Mrs. T. H. Jones, Collin County Native, Dies

Mrs. T. H. Jones, a native of Collin County, died at her home in Sanger, her death ending an active civic and religious career.

Born May 12, 1862, at Rhea's Mill in the Western part of the county, she was the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Alexander Newman, being the former Miss Virginia Lee Newman. She was married to Thomas Henry Jones in 1881. They moved to Sanger in 1899, celebrating their Golden Wedding in that city in 1931, shortly before Mr. Jones' death.

Mrs. Jones is survived by one son, W. L. Jones of San Francisco; three daughters, Mrs. Ada Pollard, Mrs. Tommie Lee Parks, of Dallas, Mrs. Lettie Pritchett of Sanger; seven grandchildren four great-grandchildren.

Passing Of Mrs. Carl Darnall In Washington, D. C.

George and John Darnall of the Cottage Hill community have received news of the death of Mrs. Carl Darnall of Washington, D. C., wife of Brigadier General Carl Darnall, retired. Mrs. Darnall had long been ill. Burial was at Milford, N. J., her girlhood home. General Darnall was reared at Cottage Hill. He is the brother of George and John Darnall.

Sale Of Buttons To Aid National Paralysis Fight

Infantile paralysis buttons, depicting two crippled children and their plea for help, went on sale at ten cents each in McKinney Friday, proceeds from the drive to help youngsters who have been stricken with the dread disease. Fifty per cent of the money raised here will be returned to Texas and Collin County by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Postmaster Don O. Davis is heading the worthy drive locally, distributing cards bearing twenty-five buttons each throughout the city, to be sold in turn to anyone desiring to aid the infantile paralysis campaign. A card has been left at the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette office, and interested citiens are invited to come by for the buttons or to inquire at other business houses. Postmaster Davis can also supply the buttons, and states that he has ordered several other cards.

Mrs. George Jones is able to be up some after several days' illness of the flu.

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We appreciate a friendly visit Thursday afternoon from John Cullum of Dallas who came up with Dr. W. Marshall Craig and Harvey Harris, former McKinney business man, to attend the Baptist Training Union at the First Baptist Church. Mr. Cullum visited the bedside of his brother-in-law, Dr. G. O. Key, who has been confined to his home with illness the past two weeks.

Prof. Clyde Fagg Buys Apartment On West Lamar

The nice Duplex Apartment, 615 West Lamar Street, has been sold to Prof. Clyde L. Fagg by Tom W. Perkins and Frank Blackwell of the McKinney Realty Company. The property is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alderson of San Antonio and is known as the old home of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Rucker.

Prof. Fagg, teacher in the public schools of our city, buys the property as a business investment. Good old McKinney. We all say so.

Cuba Will Give All Possible Aid To U. S. Defense

The Cuban cabinet, after a long night meeting spent studying the international situation, announced that Cuba is "side by side with the United States" and will give all possible co-operation to safeguard civiliation and democracy.

M. F. Speck, 83, Passes Away At Home Near Gunter

Morgan Lafayette Speck, 83, died Friday morning, Jan. 17, at 1:30 o'clock at his home, three miles North of Gunter. He had been in ill health for over a year.

Born Feb. 1, 1858, in Tennessee, the son of Abraham and Armeta Speck, the deceased had been a resident of Texas 58 years, coming to this State when he was 25 years old. He had resided near Gunter for 32 years.

Mr. Speck, a well-known farmer and influential citizen, was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services were held at the Gunter Baptist Church, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Alexander McFerrin, Pastor of the Celina Presbyterian Church, in charge. Interment was made in the Van Alstyne Cemetery, Helms Funeral Home of Celina directing.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Della Speck; two sons, Claude Speck of Gunter, H. C. Speck of Clinton, Oklahoma; a brother, Robert Speck, of Weston; eleven grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

Miss Mary Anna Graves of NTSTC, had as her house guests over the week-end Joyce Hilton, Doris Hawthorne, and Kathleen Hardin, all of NTSTC. They were guests in the home of Miss Graves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Graves, 1108 Tucker Street.

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Master's Degree Is Conferred By McKinney Team

The Degree team from St. John's Lodge No. 51 A. F. & A. M. of this city visited the Celina Lodge Friday night, conferring the Master's Degree in that Northwest Collin town.

Local Masons making the trip and the positions they filled in the degree are:

W. G. Proctor, W. M.
George L. Forsyth, S. W.
S. S. Lennington, J. W.
A. Blaine Smith, Secretary.
T. G. McBee, Sr., S. D.
George W. Smith, J. D.
J. T. Henry.
T. E. Burnside.
R. P. Jones.
Rev. G. C. Ford.
Roscoe Wallace.
Grover Burton.
Warren Cobb.
T. N. Crockett.
Jess (Peck) Graves.
C. J. Young.
W. C. Davidson.
W. L. Brown.
Guy DeLaMar.
Jeff Lee.
Homer Pritchard.
Tip McCarley.
Benton Staley.
L. D. Harden.
Tom Ford.

Following the conferring of the degree refreshments were served by the host lodge. The McKinney Masons report a most enjoyable time.

Chas. W. Graves, Jr., With N. Y. A. In San Angelo

Chas. W. Graves, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Graves of this city, left Sunday for San Angelo, where he goes to become connected with the District N. Y. A. office in that city in the clerical department. Mr. Graves, a McKinney High School graduate, finished at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth. His host of McKinney friends wish him success in his new field of work.

Funeral Held At Wylie For J. M. Trowell

Funeral services for James Martin Trowell, 69, resident of Collin County thirty-one years and father of M. K. Trowell of Dallas, were held in Wylie Thursday.

Mr. Trowell was born in Howell County, Arkansas. He later moved to Hunt County near Greenville where he married Miss Eddie Florence Maroney. He took his family to Collin County in 1909.

He was a member of the Wylie Baptist Church. Surviving are his wife, two sons, M. K. Trowell, Dallas, and H. H. Trowell, Fort Worth; two brothers, Arthur Trowell and Eldridge Trowell, Ada, Oklahoma, and four grandchildren.

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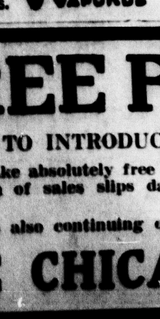
If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neutritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound, a two-week supply, today. Mix it with a quart of water, and the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonsful two times a day. Often within 48 hours —sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, return the empty package and Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by Mitchell Pharmacy and drug stores everywhere.

Will Cunningham, Route 4, McKinney, dropped by the office Friday, renewing the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, for the coming year. Thank you, Mr. Cunningham.

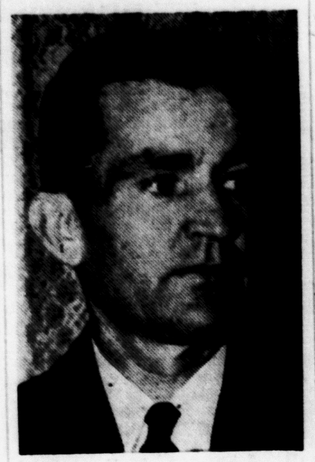
CHILDREN'S COLDS

FOR DIRECT RELIEF from coughing, phlegm, irritation, clogged air passages, misery of colds—rub throat, chest, and back with Vicks VapoRub. Its poultice-and-vapor action brings relief without dosing.

ALSO, FOR HEAD COLD "sniffles", melt a spoonful of VapoRub in hot water. Then have the child breathe in the steaming vapors.



Rev. Patton Is Baccalaureate Speaker Sunday



REV. EARL J. PATTON

Members of the McKinney High School mid-term graduating class, numbering thirteen young men and women, heard an inspiring address Sunday night at the High School Auditorium, when Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church, spoke at the Baccalaureate exercises. The large Auditorium was comfortably filled for the occasion, with parents, other relatives, friends, faculty members, school officials and others in attendance.

The present week, beginning Monday, is being observed as "Senior Week" by the graduates, while other students will take final examinations.

The Seniors will hear the Commencement address Friday night at the High School Auditorium, when diplomas will be presented and honor students announced.

The new school term will commence Monday, January 27, announces Superintendent Jack R. Ryan.

Mid-term graduates are:

Merle Betty, Dorothy Jane Brown, Waldo Cole, Virginia Funderburg, Elaine Kissinger, Tommie Mobley, Don Riffe, Eugenia Skelton, Nina Stiles, William Tackett, Maysel Taylor, James Welch, Ozetta Frances Wilcox.

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Honest Toil Open Door to Greatness.

Rev. Patton told the Seniors: "Honest toil is the open door to greatness. It is human weakness to seek an easy ball bearing route to success. One must struggle if he would climb to the heights from which the best view of things may be had. We usually get what we deserve rather than what we desire. The universe is grouped naturally into giants and dwarfs, workers, shirkers, heroes, and cravens.

"Character is like radium, giving off constant light and heat. One ounce of radium has the inherent power to lift ten thousand tons a mile high. We believe you, dear friends, are more powerful and valuable than a world of radium. We urge you to make sure of victory by, "Putting on the whole armor of God."

McKINNEY GIRL AT INAUGURATION PRES. ROOSEVELT

Miss Carolyn Lois Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Morris, 615 West Lamar Street, left Dallas Friday, accompanied by her aunt, Miss Peggy Morris, for Washington, D. C., to attend the inauguration of President Roosevelt, and to visit with friends in Washington the remainder of the week.

Miss Morris and her aunt will return Sunday, Jan. 26.

Epidemic of Cold Symptoms

666 Liquid or 666 Tablets with 666 Salve or Nose Drops generally relieves cold symptoms the first day.

Jennie Lou Jackson, Route 1, Frisco, underwent an operation at the City Hospital Sunday.

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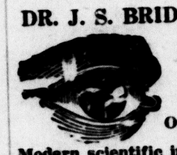
Mrs. Bettie (Rhoads) Dickerson, age 68 years, former resident of Plano, but lately of 5742 Llano Street, Dallas, died this week at her home. Funeral services were held in Dallas Thursday afternoon, Jan 16.

The late Mr. Dickerson was formerly one of the Rural Letter Carriers out of Plano.

DR. J. S. BRIDGEFARMER



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Northwest Corner Square

Mrs. T. H. Minga Is Chosen Editor Of Woman's Page

Mrs. T. H. Minga has been chosen as a member of the editorial staff of the Southwestern Advocate, official organ of the Methodist Church in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico. The paper is published at Dallas.

The duties of Mrs. Minga will be editing the Woman's Page, and the following is taken from a paragraph in the Advocate: "Her selection was approved by a high authority in the Woman's Society of Christian Service. She is however, free to report and discuss anything pertaining to women, the home, the family, and the activities of women. Her eminent qualifications for this service are well recognized. She is a college graduate, a teacher, a housewife, and has spent her life in the atmosphere and work of the church. She has been a member of the General Conference, the Uniting onference and the Jurisdictional Conference." Honey Grove Signal-Citizen.

Mrs. Minga and husband resided in Frisco for three years, where Rev. Minga was Pastor of the Methodist Church. At a meeting of the last North Texas Annual Conference, they were sent to Lancaster, but later assigned to the Honey Grove Church.

Sunday Guests Of Mr., Mrs. George Wylie Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. George Wylie Wilson had as their guests Sunday, Mr. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Emma Hall of this city, and his brother, John F. Wilson and wife of Dallas. John F. Wilson is a former citizen of McKinney and has been employed with the Dallas Bell Telephone company for about thirty-five years. The Wilson's are descendants of two pioneer families. Geo. L. Wilson, deceased, came to Texas and Collin County when a young man and resided in this county until his death in 1928, being 83 years old at that time. The late Mrs. Wilson was the former Mary Jane Morris, and was born in the home in which he now resides, 608 North Tennessee Street. He has been employed with the C. & T. Grocery for twenty years. It was a happy occasion for the three remaining children of this family.

Lavon Man Buys Registered Cow

D. P. Brown, of Lavon, has purchased a registered Jersey cow from O. P. Gorman of Winnsboro. The animal is Victor Torono Primrose 1260900, according to The American Jersey Cattle Club, of 324 West 23rd Street, New York, N. Y. A strong demand for registered Jersey cattle of high production pedigree and good conformation, to establish purebred dairy herds, is reported by the national breed registry association.

Dr. R. A. Clifton Speaker At B. T. U. Meet In Sherman

Dr. R. A. Clifton, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, attended the Grayson County B. T. U. Association, which met in the First Church in Sherman Friday night. He was the principal speaker for the evening. His son Davis Clifton, accompanied him to Sherman.

Continental Oil Company To Use Newspapers In '41

Continental Oil Company in 1941 is again allocating to newspapers a major portion of its yearly advertising budget, it was announced at the company's general offices in Ponca City, Oklahoma.

Although Continental uses almost every kind of advertising mediums, the company has for several years spent the greater part of its advertising dollar with newspapers. More than 1,300 newspapers throughout the United States will share in this year's expenditures, it was stated, and the advertising is expected to reach more than 35,000,000 readers. Small town newspapers will again share in the company's local "mileage merchant."

Mrs. Vernon Lusk returned home Sunday from a visit with her Mother, Mrs. Parks Thompson, in Denton. Mrs. Lusk is confined with the flu at her home, 1401 North College, this week.

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Hon. J. H. Sneed was here Saturday from Dallas, greeting his many friends. While residing in Collin County, he represented this county in the Texas Legislature, also was District Court Clerk for four years. We acknowledge a pleasant visit from Mr. Sneed.

Howell L. Lacy Given Promotion In U. S. Army

Howell L. (Bud) Lacy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lacy of this city, who enlisted in the U. S. Army, Co. L, 23rd Inf., 2nd Division, at Fort Bliss, Texas, December 11, 1939, has been promoted to Corporal in a period of twelve months. The appointment came January 11, this year, at Fort Sam Houston where the young man is now stationed.

Mr. Lacy was happily married to Miss Margie Moore, daughter of Louis Moore of this uity, on December 31, the wedding taking place at Floresville, Texas. He and his bride have a multitude of friends here to offer congratulations upon his recent promotion.

Franklin Club Holds Meeting

Members of the Franklin Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, Jan. 16, for an all day meeting at the club house. Miss Helen Dunlap, County Home Demonstration Agent, was present in the fore noon and gave an interesting talk on foods that make a balanced meal.

Eleven members were present, each bringing a covered dish at the noon hour. A delicious luncheon was served. Miss Dunlap was a special guest.

In the afternoon the yearbooks were filled out. There were two new members, Mrs. Isaac Day and Mrs. D. B. Utley. Plans were made to make new curtains for the clubhouse and to paint the inside and outside of the building.

Club members present were: Mrs. W. W. Thomason, President; Mrs. J. W. Mooneyham, Vice President; Mrs. D. O. Gray, Secretary; Mrs. J. T. Isom, Mrs. Beth Keeling, Mrs. J. M. Bounds, Mrs. Jim Christian, Mrs. O. A. Williams, Mrs. Isaac Day, and Mrs. D. B. Utley. Mrs. W. M. Christian came in the afternoon. The next meeting will be Feb. 6, at 2 p. m. Visitors and new members are always welcome.

Churchill Says Weapons And Not Troops Needed

"We do not require in 1941 large armies from overseas," said Prime Minister Winston Churchill Friday night in a speech before the Glasgow City Councilors. Harry Hopkins, President Roosevelt's representative to Great Britain, sat on the platform beside the Prime Minister.

"Whatever the suffering, we shall not fail mankind at this turning point of its fortunes," said Churchill. "What we require are weapons, ships and airplanes. All that we can pay for we will pay for, but we will require far more than we shall be able to pay for." Churchill offered little cheer to the Britons for the months ahead, but asserted, "The British commonwealth of nations is maintaining the front line of civilization and of progress."

At the same time Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox said Germany would ultimately and inevitably seize territory and bases in South America if Great Britain is defeated, and, like Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, he expressed fear that a grave crisis would develop in the European war in the next sixty or ninety days.

Both Secretaries urged the House foreign affairs committeeto approve the administration's bill authorizing President Roosevelt to lease, lend or transfer American-made fighting materials to the nations battling the Axis.

Van Alstyne Bank Names Officers

Officers and directors of the First National bank of Van Alstyne were reelected at a meeting of the stockholders and directors. One new bookkeeper, Miss Helen Cannon, daughter of Mrs. Royce Cannon, was named. Officers reelected were John Umphress, president; Spencer Taylor, vice president and cashier; Louis Cartwright, active vice president; Mrs. Bessie Kinard, Miss Laura Lloyd and James Nelson Taylor, assistant cashiers. Directors reelected were John Neill, Henry Hynds, Carl Umphress, Walter Barren, John Umphress, Spencer Taylor, Creed Taylor, Louis Cartwright and J. A. Stinnett.

Fitzhugh Newsome, Sr., who has been confined to his home with illness for the past three weeks is improving. This is good news to his many friends.

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Mrs. L. W. Scribner, 2518 Peabody, Dallas, returned to her home from the City Hospital of McKinney Thursday. Following an operation, she had been convalescing here.

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The first truck load of onion sets have arrived in Farmersville from the valley. They are pronounced extra fine but it will be some time before the ground will be dry enough to set them out. Few growers here have their land in shape to start setting.

Washington Is Thronged For Inauguration

President Roosevelt, who was inaugurated to a third term Monday, recalled an old issue on the eve of his unprecedented third term inaugural, that no dictator would run the risk of free election.

His communication was read to a crowd gathered at dinner honoring the presidential theme of the inauguration—democracy in a crisis.

"I think we must all feel a deep sense of appreciation that we are able to hold free elections in a free country," said Mr. Roosevelt

The President began Monday with prayer at the little yellow stucco church, St. John's, across from the White House. At 10:55 a. m., Vice-President-Elect Henry A. Wallace was sworn into office. Then a short time later Mr. Roosevelt took the oath of office. The inaugural address followed immediately, and by noon President Roosevelt was back at the White House for a luncheon served to 1,000 guests.

Activities were planned to fill the remainder of the day and evening.

Death Of Walter Holsey Sunday At Corsicana

County Agent Jack McCullough received a wire Sunday from Mrs. Walter Holsey, of Corsicana, announcing the death of her husband at their home there, Sunday, January 19. Mr. Holsey, former member of the Texas House of Representatives from 1906 to 1910, and of the Texas Senate from 1910 to 1914, had served as County Agent in Leon, Robertson, Bowie, and Rockwall Counties, and was well-known throughout North Texas.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Corsicana, Agent McCullough, accompanied by several other County Agents from North Texas, left Monday morning to attend the services.

Mr. Holsey was 73 years old at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife, three brothers, and a sister

Former McKinney Man Succumbs At Dallas Hospital

Funeral services for W. J. Elliston, about 70, former McKinney man, who died in a Dallas hospital at noon Sunday, following a brief illness, were held at the graveside of Pecan Grove Cemetery in this city Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Burial followed in that Cemetery.

Mr. Elliston, who lived here for several years, moved to Dallas some twenty years ago. He was connected with the Allen's Market in this city for several years.

Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Kate Elkins, who formerly lived here, and three children, Leon Elliston, Miss Mary Elliston, and W. J., Jr., and one grandson, Thomas Leon Elliston, Jr., all of Dallas. A. G. Elkins of McKinney is a brother of the wife of the deceased.

The passing of this former McKinney man is deeply regretted by his many friends in this city and county.

Program To Be Given Jan. 28 For Selectees

Commander J. W. McKinney of the Jimmie Geigas American Legion Post, of this city announces a program in McKinney Tuesday morning, January 28, at 8:45 o'clock at the courthouse honoring the forty-eight Collin County young men, who will leave that day for induction centers to enter the nation's peacetime army.

The local Legion Post will sponsor the program, Commander McKinney presiding. The general public is cordially invited to be present, and all ex-service men are urged to attend.

The program follows:

Opening prayer, Rev. Earl J. Patton.

Song, "America," led by W. Hammond Moore.

Collin County Friendship Club, Hon. H. H. Neilson.

Introduction of Draft Board Members, Commander J. W. McKinney.

Army Life, Paul K. Wilson.

Address, Dr. R. L. Cowan.

Song "God Bless America," led by W. Hammond Moore.

Benediction, Rev. Patton.

Hon. John D. Reese, prominent and outstanding attorney of McKinney, residing at 314 North Bradley Street, with offices in the Ritz Theater building, North Side Square, has purchased the homeplace of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. (Vernie) Graves, 309 North Bradley Street, and will occupy same as a home. This is one of the nicest and best-located homes in our entire city. The deal was a cash one. Mr. Reese purchased the home from the children of Mr. and Mrs. Graves.

R. F. Miller, 73, Passes Away Of Pneumonia Attack

Reddin Franklin Miller, 73, died at his home, two miles East of Lone Star, Sunday evening, Jan. 19, at 7:05 o'clock. He had been ill with pneumonia three days.

The deceased was born and reared in the same community, also rearing his family there. The son of John and Clarissa Miller, he was born Feb. 22, 1867. He married Miss Mary Ella Nichols, who survives him.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Christian Church in Weston, Rev. Lloyd Mottley, Pastor of the Van Alstyne Christian Church, in charge.

Interment was in the Warden Cemetery, under the direction of the Helms Funeral Home of Celina.

Surviving besides his wife are: two children, Cecil Miller, of Van Alstyne; Mrs. J. J. Wilson, of Dorchester; and one sister, Mrs. Laura Drew of Frisco.

He is also survived by eleven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Two daughters and one son preceded him in death.

Collin Livestock Association Names Year's Officers

Joe C. Moore of Melissa was re-elected President of the Collin County Pure Bred Livestock Association at the annual barbecue and meeting held Saturday afternoon at the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

Clyde Haggard, was re-elected Vice-President of the organization, and W. T. Dungan was re-elected Secretary.

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Directors Named.

The Board of Directors, appointed by President Moore Monday, are:

Clint Sheppard, Plano, Chairman.

Mrs. Amy Wilson, Plano.

Mack Morgan, McKinney, Route 5.

J. Ed McGee, McKinney, Route 2.

J. W. Bowden, Farmersville, Texas.

John Parker, Blue Ridge.

J. O. Rolliter, Celina, Route 2.

George Cameron, McKinney.

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The committee appointed to nominate officers presented all the officers of the past year to serve during 1941, since the organization is comparatively new and they are experienced in the duties of their office, says County Agent Jack McCullough.

The meeting Saturday was one of the best attended in the history of the Association.

The Livestock Association was organized three years ago.

In addition to the great number of old members who renewed their membership Saturday, approximately fifteen new ones were received into the organization.

The barbecue dinner, served annually at the meeting for election of oficers, was greatly enjoyed.

G. G. Gibson, of the Dairy Service, Extension Department A. & M. College, presented an interesting and instructive talk on the necessity of acquiring a good herd and then giving the cows an opportunity to do their best. Mr. Gibson stressed the importance of good breeding, good feeding, and proper care, presenting facts as to what various rations and combinations of feeds would affect production of milk.

Mr. Gibson said a well-balanced ration given in proper proportions is necessary for economical milk production. A motion picture was shown of the inside of a cow, demonstrating to stockmen how the animal converts feed into milk.

George W. Jenkins of Celina discussed the "Value of Organization."

W. N. Gibson, of the Production Credit Office, discussed the "Necessity of Diversified Farming In Order To Be Eligible For a Loan." He stated that practically all loans made are based on a widely diversified system of farming.

Nick Rolater, long-time resident of Collin County, died at his home in Murphy recently. Several years ago he operated a grocery store in Frisco.

Funeral services were held at Garland, with burial in the K. of P. Cemetery at that place.

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Collin School Administrators Will Meet Here

The Collin County School Administrators will meet in McKinney Wednesday, Feb. 12, at the Senior High School. All teachers in the county are invited to get in touch with Prof. Earl Slaughter a day or two before the meeting in order that he may make reservation for them. The program will be under the direction of a committee, headed by Mr. Slaughter.

CARD OF THANKS.

We just haven't words to express our thanks and appreciation for the many things, floral offerings and kind words of sympathy extended us during our recent hours of sorrow and sadness. May God's richest blessings abide with each and everyone is our earnest prayer.

FRANK HOOKS AND FAMILY.

We appreciate a friendly visit Friday afternoon from our good friend, Dr. C. H. Beseda, Van Alstyne dentist and civic leader of that city, who was in the city with Mrs. Beseda and their daughter, Mary Ann. Dr. Beseda has a host of warm friends and admirers in this city and county. We are pleased to be included in his large group of friends in this city. We are always glad to see him and shake his friendly hand.

Spanish American War Veterans Name Officers For Year

At the regular January meeting of the Henry A. Wiley Camp 29, Spanish War Veterans, Friday night, officers for the year 1941 were elected. The newly-elected officers are:

Sam A. Welch will serve as Commander; Albert W. Milstead, Senior Vice Commander; Walter C. Lewis, Junior Vice Commander; J. P. Thomas, Adjutant-Quartermaster.

Jessie Slate, Route 5, McKinney, returned home Sunday from the City Hospital, where he has been a patient.

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